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AMERICANS IN GREAT DANGER

Marines Are Landed Today in Nicaragua

TO PROTECT LIVES OF UNCLE SAM'S SUBJECTS

Over 200 Refugees Crowd into the Legation.

Americans in Nicaragua Greatly Alarmed at the Excesses of the Victory-Mad Revolutionists—Minister Weitzel Confirms Report of Slaughter of 500 Federals by the Victorious Rebels.

Washington, Aug. 22.—More than 200 Americans, alarmed at the excesses of the victory-mad revolutionists, are crowded into the United States legation at Managua, Nicaragua, according to dispatches to the state department from Minister Weitzel

Twenty-five American women and children have been taken aboard the tender, Justin, and the gunboat, Annapolis, at Corinto, and every available man from these vessels has been landed to protect American property.

Minister Weitzel also confirmed the press report of the slaughter of 500 federal soldiers in Leon, by victorious rebels. General Buron, the federal leader, was murdered in cold blood, and two of his men, said to be Americans named Phillips and Harvey Dodd, the latter a Mississippian, were killed, while taking refuge in a hospital

Fighting lasted all day, and the loss of life is reported to be large.

The American minister reports that the situation is growing steadily worse, and asks that more troops be sent to Nicaragua immediately. He had evidently not received word of the small army of sailors and marines who will be enroute to Corinto by Saturday.

Consul Johnson, at Corinto, informed the state department today the rebels have captured a number of towns between Leon and Chinandega, among which are located a large sugar plantation and the Nicaraguan Central distillery, containing 3,000,000 pesos worth of alcohol.

It is reported that political aspirations are causing dissensions in the rebel camp Marcoo, Nairena, Paulino Godey, General Velado and Francisco Baca are being urged for the presidency by their respective adherents

It is hoped that this dissension may prove severe enough to prevent the rebels making a concerted attack on Corinto before the arrival of the Denver's men, Sunday.

The transport, Prairie, left Portsmouth, New Hampshire, last night for Philadelphia, where she will take aboard 750 marines Saturday, sailing immediately for Panama The cruiser, California, will leave San Francisco today, carrying 600 sailors and 800 marines. She will go directly to Corinto, landing a force there if necessary.

State department officials today laid stress on the fact that the landing of marines in Nicaragua has come at the direct request of the Diaz government, and does not constitute technical intervention The United States is supporting Diaz against the rebels, and will withdraw its troops as soon as order is restored

More Marines To Sail.

Philadelphia, Aug. 22.—Preparations were rushed at the League Island navy yard today, for the departure of 700 United States bluejackets and marines fore Nicaragua, where American lives and interests are threatened by a revolution.

The men were ordered to sail Saturday on board the Prairie, for Panama, whence they will be conveyed to Corinto.

It is expected that, within ten days, the United States will have an army of 2,100 marines and bluejackets in Nicaragua.

Liberal Leaders Captured.

New Orleans, Aug 22.—Private cablegrams from Bluefields today say that General Luis Mena, leader of the Nicaraguan revolution, has been captured by the liberal party and is being held a prisoner.

The details of the capture are not given, but Mena is said to be held in Leon. A liberal uprising in Nicaragua has been expected for some time, although the acknowledged head of the party General Irias, is now in Costa Rica.

Russians Sentenced.

Tashkent, Asiatic Russia, Aug. 22.—Fifteen non-commissioned Russian army officers were sentenced by court martial today to death for mutiny. Two hundred and six others were sentenced to prison, and seven were acquitted. All were arrested in connection with the army and navy conspiracy, which was recently un-

PLAYS THE GAME WITH BARE HANDS

Governor Wilson Speaks of Baseball, and Perhaps Politics.

Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 22—Governor Wilson gave a serio-comic illustration of his method of playing the game of politics this morning. He was strolling across the lawn of the Little White House and stopped a moment to watch a game of "catch" between his cousin, Jimmy Wood- and a newspaper correspondent.

"Get the game, Governor," said Jimmy, jokingly.

"Oh, I might if I felt like it," was the reply.

"All right," said Jimmy. "I'll get you a glove."

"I wouldn't need a glove," said the Democratic nominee. "You know I play the game with bare hands."

TEMPERANCE WORKERS OF MARION COUNTY

Held a Convention at the Trinity Church.

REPORTS READ AT MORNING SESSION

Three New Unions Were Organized in Marion County During the Last Year, at Morral, La Rue and Agosta—Dinner Served at United Brethren Church.

The Marion County W. C. T. U. convention met in the Trinity Baptist church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with a fair attendance. The church was attractively decorated in the colors of the union, yellow and white. Large bouquets of flowers were placed about the pulpit and W. C. T. U. banners are hung from the choir loft. These banners have been secured by the unions from national and state conventions One of them, the banner awarded the local Frances Willard union, at the national convention held in Milwaukee last year, for the largest per cent. of gain in membership of any union in the United States, was made by the late Frances Willard and presented to the National convention in 1898.

The meeting was called to order by the county president, Mrs. A. O. Jennings, and was opened with devotionals conducted by Mrs. B. A. Urton, the evangelistic superintendent. Mrs. Jennings then gave an excellent report, which showed that three new unions were organized in the county this year These new unions are located at Morral, La Rue and Agosta. The other officers gave their reports, which were very encouraging, after which the superintendents from the following unions read their reports: Morral, Lime City, Florence Richards, Waldo, Frances Willard and Green Camp. The superintendents of the other unions in the county, Caledonia, Martel and Prospect, were absent and no reports were read at the morning session. The reports of the county superintendents were then given. Mrs. B A. Urton gave the report of the evangelistic work; Mrs. J. J. Rowe read the report on anti-narcotics; Mrs. A. O Jennings gave the report of the flower mission and infirmary work and, Mrs. J. A. Makeever gave the report on franchise. The reports of the other superintendents were carried over until the afternoon session.

Rev. J. H. Bagwill, of Morral, closed the morning session with prayer and adjournment was made until 1:30 o'clock.

Dinner was served in the United Brethren church.

The afternoon session opened with a piano duet after which the unfinished work of the morning was taken up.

Mrs. Carrie Flatter gave the address at the session that evening.

AN ASSIGNMENT THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The Star Saloon and Restaurant Is Involved.

Thursday afternoon in the probate court, William H. Neidig and Ivy B. Smith, proprietors of the Star saloon and restaurant on north Main street, filed papers in assignment to P. H. Neidig, the former owner of the place. The petition-in-assignment was prepared by Mouser & Moloney.

The liabilities are given at about $3,000 and the assets at $2,000. P. H. Neidig holds a mortgage of $900 on the furniture and fixtures.

Committee Selected.

Ninety-five people were present at the thirty-third annual reunion of the Dix family at the suburban home of W. W Dix, of near Prospect, Wednesday. The only change made in the organization was the election of new members for the program committee. They are Clarence Dix, of Dover; George Dix, of Delaware, and Miss Fannie Dix, of Prospect. The next reunion will be held the third Wednesday in August, 1913, at the home of Jacob Ekelberry, of Cardington.

London Silver Market.

London, Aug. 22.—Bar silver 25 11-16 pence.

BECKER DENIES HE IS GUILTY

Police Lieutenant Arraigned for Plea

TOGETHER WITH FOUR OF HIS ASSOCIATES

Whitman Pleased With Progress Made.

Coroner Feinberg Resumes Inquest Into Death of Rosenthal After Prisoners All Plead "Not Guilty"—Becker Appears Crestfallen—Zelig's Charge of a "Frame-Up" To Be Investigated.

New York, Aug. 22.—Five of the seven men, indicted for the murder of gambler Herman Rosenthal, were arraigned for pleading before Judge Crain in general sessions today.

They were Lieutenant Charles A. Becker, "Whitey Lewis," Jacob Reich, better known as Jack Sullivan, "Dago Frank" Cirofici and William Shapiro.

Becker seemed crestfallen, when he was hauled before the bar with a band of gangsters. The pleas of the prisoners were "not guilty." Two of the men indicted, "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg, and "Gyp the Blood" Horowitz, are still at large.

Immediately after the arraignment Coroner Feinberg resumed the inquest into the death of Rosenthal.

Libby Is Discharged.

Louis Libby, part owner of the gray "murder automobile" was discharged from custody today after the inquest. Outside the coroner's court he was met by his mother and sisters, who greeted him with tears and hugs. Libby seemed unconcerned.

The verdict arrived at by the coroner's jury was as follows: "We, the jury, find that Herman Rosenthal met with his death on the morning of July 16, at 2 o'clock, in front of the Hotel Metropole, Forty-Third street between Sixth avenue and Broadway, from a bullet wound in the brain and the upper jaw, fired from a revolver or revolvers, held in the hands of a person or persons unknown to this jury"

Assistant District Attorney Rubin represented District Attorney Whitman at the inquest, the latter being engaged at the arraignment of the prisoners.

After Rubin addressed the coroner's jury, the calling of witnesses began. Policeman W. J. Farrell, of the West Forty-Seventh street station, who was in the dining-room of the Hotel Metropole when Rosenthal was murdered, was an important witness.

Farrell testified that, while Rosenthal was sitting at a table in the dining-room, "Bridgie" Webber entered and walked around the room. A moment after he left, Rosenthal arose and walked out upon the street. Several shots were fired immediately afterward. Webber was greatly excited, the witness said.

Farrell told of running into the street, where he saw a body, surrounded by curious persons. He saw a gray automobile across the street, just getting under way. Calling a taxi, Farrell started in pursuit, but could not catch the car.

Pleading Postponed.

After a tilt between the court and Attorney John F. McIntyre, counsel for Becker, the pleading in the case of the police lieutenant was postponed until Tuesday. Frank Muller, alais "Whitey Lewis," was next arraigned, and entered a plea of not guilty. The other three defendants were arraigned in order, and all entered not guilty pleas with leave to withdraw them before Tuesday.

While the five defendants were being arraigned in the court of general sessions on the murder indictment, and the inquest was going, the jury handed down an indictment against Policeman James C. White and John C. Cteinert on a charge of perjury. These officers were members of Becker's "strong arm" squad, and are alleged to have carried out the frame up arranged by Becker against "Big Jack" Zelig, the gang leader.

Investigation To Begin.

New York, Aug. 22.—A triple investigation into the Rosenthal murder and the alleged alliance between the police and the underworld was scheduled in three separate tribunals today. The inquest into Rosenthal's murder was set for ten o'clock in general sessions court.

Coroner Feinberg, in whose bailiwick the crime was committed, had subpoenaed a long list of witnesses, although it was not certain whether all would be called upon to testify. Police Lieutenant Charles A. Becker, "Dago Frank" Cirofici, William Shapiro, Frank Muller and Jacob Reich were ordered to appear before Judge Mulqueen in general sessions at noon and plead to the indictment handed down by the grand jury Tuesday, charging them with Rosenthal's murder.

The grand jury resumed its investigation with Detective Willilam J. Burns under subpoena. Burns was slated to go before the grand jury this afternoon to reveal the names of police officials whom he had trapped into accepting corruption money.

District Attorney Whitman said he is favorably impressed with the progress that has been made in the case, and now that he has offered $5,000 reward for the capture of "Lefty Louie" and "Gyp the Blood," the two gunmen still at large, he looks for events to move even faster.

Sets New Record.

The arraignment of five men on a capital charge sets a new record for this jurisdiction. Never before have so many persons been brought

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LAST CONFERENCE OF THE FISCAL YEAR

Stewards Selected by the Calvary Church People.

The last quarterly conference of the fiscal year was held by the church board of the Calvary Evangelical church, Wednesday evening, at the church on east Church street. The reports of the church officers and the heads of the different societies and committees of the church were heard. and were considered the best that have ever been read. The meeting was well attended Financial matters were also discussed. The following stewards were selected for the next year:

James Wetzel, G. G Wallace, Harry Schreck, A. F. Smith, James Peacock, Grant Halderman, Ora Bensley, John Harruff, Arthur W. Hinds, Mrs. H. E. Klinefelter, Mrs. J. H. Diehl, Miss Eninnah Zachman and Mrs. Laura Weller.

The conference made two recommendations to the Ohio general conference It recommended that the pastor, Rev. E. E. Weatherwax, be returned to the Marion church, and that Edwin L. Zachman, of this city, should receive a preacher's license.

THREE-YEAR COURSE OF STUDY PLANNED

Educational Committee Holds a Meeting.

The educational committee of the Y. M. C. A. met at the association building, Wednesday evening, with a good attendance. After discussing general plans, it was decided that the association should offer a three-year course of study, of which the coming winter's work would cover the first year. It has not been decided definitely exactly what courses will be offered, but in all probability mechanical drafting, applied mathematics, telegraphy, electricity and as many other studies as are demanded.

A sub-committee was appointed to outline the course of study. It consists of R. W. Grace, George L. Sauer and W. H. Symes. This committee was instructed to report next Tuesday evening, at which time a meeting of the whole committee will be held to select the courses and instructors

MARION COUNTY FARMERS' PICNIC

Is Held Thursday at Gast's Grove, Prospect.

The Marion County Farmers' annual picnic was held Thursday in Gast's grove, at Prospect, about 3,000 persons being in attendance. The picnic was a great success and an enjoyable time was had during the morning and afternoon.

The music was furnished by the Prospect band, the morning being spent in forming acquaintances and in various social ways, while at the noon hour the picnickers enjoyed their basket dinners. The program for the afternoon consisted of an address on "Woman's Suffrage" by Mrs. Carrie Flatter, a baseball game between Delaware and Prospect, while the principal address was made by Attorney Lloyd D. DeGolley. A band concert was the entertainment for the evening.

CARRIAGE IS STRUCK BY PASSENGER TRAIN

Child Is Killed and Others Badly Injured.

Six-year-old Frank Boucher was instantly killed and his mother, Mrs. Roy Boucher, and three other children, were seriously injured, four miles south of Delaware, Wednesday afternoon, when they were struck by southbound Hocking Valley passenger train, No. 32, while on their way to meet Mr. Boucher. The carriage was demolished and its occupants hurled more than 100 feet. The injured are:

Mrs. Roy Boucher, mother of dead boy, internal injuries; may die.

Louisa Boucher, daughter, nine years old; arm broken, body badly bruised and cut.

Clara Boucher, daughter, nine months old, serious injuries.

Clarence Boucher, nephew, eleven years old, spine injured.

The Silver Market.

New York, Aug. 22—Commercial bar silver 62 3-8c; Mexican dollars 1-2c.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETED

For Last Respects to General Booth.

SON TO HAVE CHARGE OF FATHER'S FUNERAL

Evangelist To Be Buried Beside Wife.

Remains of Warrior-Leader Will Be Laid to Rest August 29—Body, Robed in Full Uniform, Lies in State at the Salvation Army Headquarters, Where Thousands Pay Their Last Tribute.

London, Aug. 22.—Funeral arrangements for the late General William Booth, founder of the Salvation army, were completed today. Requiem services will be held at Olympia, Wednesday evening of next week. They will be conducted by Bramwell Booth, son of the late founder and present head of the Salvation Army.

Burial will follow the next day, Thursday. Interment will be made at Abney Park, where the wife of General Booth is buried. The funeral cortege will leave Salvation army headquarters at noon Thursday. It is expected thousands will take part.

General Booth's body, robed in full uniform, was borne from his home at Hadleywood today to Salvation army headquarters in Clapton Hall, Clapton, where it now lies in state. Throughout the afternoon thousands of mourning friends, and many strangers, passed before the bier and looked upon the serene face of the late evangelist.

Hundreds of messages of congratulation were received today by Bramwell Booth, who was designated to succeed his father as commander in chief of the army. In an interview today, General Booth declared that he felt the responsibility of his new position, and would try to live up to its obligations. He is expected to pay a visit to the United States soon to meet the various department commanders there.

Starts for Funeral.

New York, Aug. 22.—Eva Booth, daughter of the late General William Booth, commander of the Salvation army, sailed on La France today, in the hope that she could reach London before her father is buried. Miss Booth was accompanied by officers of the Salvation army, who, with her, will represent America.

Eva Booth is not in good health, and was deeply affected at the news of her father's death. She is not, however, believed to be in danger of a breakdown.

CRISSINGER AND PLOTNER FAMILIES

Gathering Is Attended by About 200 Guests.

Two hundred people attended the annual reunion of the Crissinger and Plotner families at Maple grove, north of Caledonia, Wednesday. At the noon hour, a big dinner was served and in the afternoon a program of songs, recitation and instrumental music was rendered. The following officers were elected:

Charles Crissinger, of Galion, president; E. J. Winters, of Caledonia, vice president; Florence Crissinger, of New Winchester, secretary; James Pace, Martel, treasurer.

Jacob Hummer, James Sharrock, Daniel Winters and R. O. Winch were appointed a committee to make arrangements for next year's reunion at the same place the last Wednesday in August.

A program committee consisting of Mrs. Iva Winch and Mrs. Carrie Pace was appointed.

PRETTY WEDDING IS CELEBRATED THURSDAY

Miss Williamson and Mr. George C. Snashell Wed.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Williamson, of Davids street, Thursday morning at 8:15 when their daughter, Miss Mildred G. Williamson, was united in marriage to Mr. George C. Snashell, of Westfalls, New York. The ceremony was performed by Dr. C. R. Havighurst, pastor of the Epworth M. E. church, in the presence of only a few relatives of the bride. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served and the young people left on a short wedding trip.

After October 1, they will be at home in Westfalls, where the groom is engaged in business.

Rolling in Wealth.

Atlantic City, Aug. 22.—In uncovering a rat's nest in a livery stable here, Joseph Penrose discovered that the nest was lined with ten-dollar bills, partially gnawed.

TO INVESTIGATE STAND COLLAPSE

City To Fix Blame for Accident at Marshall Notification.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 22.—An investigation, to fix the responsibility for the accident at the notification of Thomas R. Marshall is to be undertaken by the city.

While the notification speech was under way a stand collapsed and nearly 100 persons were hurt. T. A. Winterrow, city building inspector, says no building permit was taken out and no notice given the city that the stand was to be erected. Consequently there was no inspection of the structure.

JOHN K. SCHWINGER IS TO ERECT NEW BUILDING

He Will Build Especially for a Dancing Hall

WITH BUSINESS ROOM ON THE MAIN FLOOR

New Structure Will Be Located on W. B. Fisher Lot, North Prospect Street, Immediately North of Huber Building—Will Be Up to Date Every Way.

John K. Schwinger has purchased the lot of W. B. Fisher, immediately north of the Huber block, on north Prospect street, and began Friday the construction of a two-story building there, the second floor of which will be used for a dancing academy, modern in every respect. The floor will measure sixty-six by 100 feet and will be one of the very best in this section of the state.

The dance hall, which will be one of the main features of the new building, will be equipped with all modern conveniences and will likely be ready within sixty days. It will be devoted especially to private affairs. The necessary reception rooms, with dressing rooms for the ladies, and for gentlemen, will be arranged in conjunction with the main floor. Mr. Schwinger, who has been in this city for fourteen years, giving a great deal of his time to giving dancing lessons, will be personally in charge.

The new building will occupy a lot measuring 165 feet in depth and will be of brick The front will be finished in pressed brick, and the building gives promise of presenting a handsome appearance. The roof will be constructed of iron and the structure will be practically fireproof.

Just what is to occupy the first floor of the building has not been decided. It is stated that either a garage or a motion-picture parlor may be opened there.

ZACHARIAH T. CLARK DIES WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Death Is the Result of a Long Illness.

Zachariah Taylor Clark, aged sixty-five years, eight months and twenty-two days, who has resided in the western part of the county almost his entire life, died about 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harvey Clark, residing two miles southwest of Agosta. Death was due to stomach trouble, the deceased having been complaining for some little time, and being confined to his bed for the past two weeks.

The deceased, who was a farmer and well driller by occupation, resided until recently about a half mile north of DeCliff, the sickness of his wife and himself making it necessary for them to be removed to the home of their children for care. Mr. Clark was very well known throughout the western part of the county.

The deceased is survived by his widow and six children, Mrs. Clentie Britton, of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mrs. Belle Britton, of Selma, Indiana; Charles B. Clark, of Agosta; Miss Lulu Clark, of Toledo; Roy Clark, of Detroit, and Mrs. Harvey Clark, at whose home he died.

The funeral was held Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the Pleasant Hill church and interment was made in Pleasant Hill cemetery.

CHOLERA INFANTUM CAUSE OF DEATH

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Dugger Lose Little Son.

Word was received here, of the death of John Robert, the six months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Dugger, which occurred at the home of the parents at Bellefontaine, Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Dugger formerly resided in this city and they have many friends here who will be grieved to learn of the death of their little son. Cholera Infantum is given as the cause of death.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kelly went to Bellefontaine, to be in attendance at the funeral service.

A stain on marble can usually be removed with fine table salt.

TAKES SHOT AT THE BULL MOOSE

Colonel Bryan Scores Colonel Roosevelt

AND THE PLATFORM OF PROGRESSIVES

Tariff and Trust Planks Are Attacked.

The Nebraskan Says, In an Editorial in the Commoner, That Certain Parts of the Progressive Platform Are Decidedly Socialistic and That the Position on Trust Question Is Absolutely Untenable.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 22.—Colonel Roosevelt and his platform were given an editorial "lacing" in today's issue of Bryan's Commoner.

"The tariff plank is the same old sham that has been used for generations to deceive the public," the editorial says. "The protective system is held us as a sacred institution, and support is given to the tariff commission idea, which is always brought forward to delay reduction, when the people rise in revolt against high tariff duties.

"The plank on the trust question is a restatement of Mr. Roosevelt's position, which leads directly to socialism. The doctrine that the trusts are a natural development and must be accepted as permanent, is the basis of the socialistic propagands.

Worse Than Socialists.

"The socialist, however, recognizes that a private monopoly can not be successfully controlled, and insists that the government shall own and operate the trusts. The new party, on the other hand, clings to the idea that the trust can be left in private hands, and yet be effectively controlled through a national bureau. All history is against this theory.

Municipalities are taking over municipal plants, because city councils are corrupted by municipal corporations. If it is impossible for a municipal plant to be successfully controlled when in private hands, how can we hope to control billion dollar trusts through a national bureau, when the trusts will have so large a pecuniary interest in controlling the administration that appoints the members of the bureau?

"The position of the new party on the trust question is so absolutely untenable as to prevent its endorsement by any large number of the people, when it is fully understood."

SCHOOL CHILDREN TAUGHT GARDENING

City of St. Paul Gives Youngsters Profitable Employment.

St. Paul, Aug. 22—School gardens at ten centers in St Paul this summer gave profitable employment to 874 boys and girls. They raised 8,740 bunches of carrots, nearly as many head of lettuce, in addition to 5,000 quarts of string beans and 4,000 bushels of young beets, and other vegetables as well as flowers.

Under the direction of a professional gardener, the children began work April 15, and harvested their crop a few days ago. One little girl had thirty-eight ripe tomatos to take home to her folks, while all the pupils had big crops. During the entire time, from spading to harvest, through weed picking time, thre was an average attendance of ninety-four per per cent, and the plots of those children who left the city were at once taken by others, for whom there was no ground at the spring allotment.

No other city carries out such complete work for children of the fourth grade, and efforts are under way so that every child who goes through the grade of St. Paul will know something of gardening.

The children had their crop for their work, and in addition learned much about plants and had healthful outdoor exercise.

FEAR SUFFRAGETTES WILL KILL PREMIER

Detectives Guard David Lloyd-George on Trip.

Carlsbad, Aug. 22—Notice was served today by the chief of police upon the suffragettes, who followed David Lloyd-George from England, that if they molested the English statesman again, they would be expelled or arrested. Several of the women, following the chancellor yesterday, annoyed him by flaunting huge cards in his face and screaming: "Votes for women." Others entered the hotel where the statesman is stopping and created such an uproar that they were ejected.

Two Scotland Yard detectives arrived from London today to act as a personal body guard for Mr. Lloyd-George, as it is feared that the militant women will attempt to take his life.

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SHERMAN IS GIVEN NOTICE

Of His Nomination by the Republicans.

CEREMONIES TAKE PLACE IN UTICA

Senator Sutherland Delivers the Message.

Notification of the Vice President Is Marked by An Elaborate Celebration—Ceremony Is Not Partisan in Any Sense—Mr. Sherman Accepts the Nomination of His Party for a Second Term.

Utica, N. Y. Aug. 21—Senator Sutherland of Utah, in his official speech notifying Vice President Sherman of his re-nomination by the Republican party, scathingly denounced Colonel Roosevelt and the third party movement. He reviewed the fight carried on by Colonel Roosevelt at the Republican convention in Chicago, and declared more than two-thirds of all the contests for delegates, which were instituted were known to be fradulent from the beginning.

The Democratic party was dismissed in the speech with a brief mention. Senator Sutherland stated that, in the coming campaign, the American people were confronted with the gravest questions since the Civil war. The most important one being whether the constitution shall be preserved.

The Senator's speech in part is as follows: "It has seldom fallen to me to perform a duty in which my sense of personal pleasure and my judgment have coincided in such equal proportions. The many years of my association with you in the house of representatives and in the senate, qualify me to say that, if the people of this country have not lost their ability to appreciate faithful, conscientious, and unselfish public service, your re-election may be predicted with confident assurance.

"We shall have arrayed against us in the coming campaign our ancient and hereditary enemy, the Democratic party. In addition, we shall be called upon to contend with some former associates, who have concluded to abandon their amiable custom of firing upon the flag they have been following, in order that they may engage in the more honorable, but no more effectual, occupation of assaulting it from the front.

"For the next few months our ears are to be filled with the voice of the malcontent, strident and many-keyed, calling upon the people to forsake the tried and beaten paths of constitutional government, along which they have walked with sure feet for more than a century, and enter upon a personally-conducted pilgrimage through the political wilderness to a promised land as shadowy and unsubstantial as a desert mirage.

"The advance agents of this delirious excursion tarried a few days at Chicago, long enough to pool their individual grievances, visions and vagaries in a bewildering farrago of impractical political nostrums, such as never before has been collected at one time outside the violent wards of a madhouse. And thus the so-called Progressive party was born, its sole excuse for existence being the unfounded claim that its nominee for the presidency was defeated for a like nomination by stolen votes at the Republican convention.

"There never has been in all history a more unique convention than that of the Progressive party at Chicago. Heretofore, when a party has been organized, its organizers have, in advance, entertained at least a suspicion respecting their principles; but the delegates to this convention, wholly ignorant of the things for which they stood, waited, with patiently folded hands, the appearance of Mr. Roosevelt in the convention to tell them what they believed.

"Upon his appearance he was received with reverent adoration; with a spirit of self-abnegation never witnessed since the charge of the Light brigade at Balaklava—a "Their's not to reason why, their's but to do and die" sort of exaltation. Led by the Grand Young Man from Indiana, devout but tuneful, the assembled vassals proclaimed their joyous intellectual surrender to the feudal lord in the following hymn of driveling irresponsibility:

Follow, follow,
We will follow Roosevelt,
Anywhere, everywhere,
We will follow him.

Follow, follow,
We will follow Roosevelt,
Anywhere he leads us,
We will follow on.'"

"All of which being chanted to the ravishing air of that stirring ditty, entitled "We don't know where we're going, but we're on the way," wrought the multitude into such a state of blind and benighted idolatry that authentic information to the effect that the colonel had just waylaid a perfectly respectable minister of the gospel and robbed him of his last month's donations, would have brought forth enthusiastic cheers for the colonel and a vote of stern condemnation for the man of God, as the representative of a dangerous and iniquitous plutocracy.

"In form, two thousand delegates, more or less, gathered in the coliseum; in reality Mr. Roosevelt met in convention at Chicago, made a confession of faith gave his hand to the colored brother from the North and his foot to the colored brother from the South, adopted a platform, nominated himself and Brother Johnson, and adjourned with the ease of a thoroughly trained thimble-rigger, plying his vocation among the rural visitors to the midway plaisance.

"The campaign, upon which we are about to enter, presents issues of more serious moment to the American people than any they have confronted since the grave questions, which immediately preceded and accompanied the Civil War. The overshadowing question then was whether the Union, under the constitution, could be perpetuated; that which confronts us today is whether the constitution itself, and the government which the constitution established, shall be preserved—a question of equal, if not greater gravity, since it would be of little avail to have preserved the union from the chaos of disintegration, if the government of the union is to be given over to the chaos of disorganization.

"The party to which we belong, Mr. Vice-President, stands in this supreme contest for the independence and integrity of the judicial tribunals of the land, without which the guaranty of life, liberty, and property would be a meaningless platitude. It stands for the settled rule of impersonal government, as opposed to the shifty opportunism of personal manipulation; for the liberty and order of general law, as against the tyranny of special edicts of changing men.

"It plants itself upon the impregnable ramparts of the constitution, and, solemnly protesting against any subversion of the terms of that great compact by arrogant and revolutionary process of amendment by misconstruction, appeals from the midsummer madness of that portion of the people, who can be fooled all the time, to the sober second thought of the great body of the American electorate, who will render judgment in November."

Sherman Is Notified.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Vice President Sherman was formally notified at noon today that, for the second time, the Republican party has selected him as its candidate for the vice presidency.

The exercises were held in Roscoe Conkling park, located on the southern outskirts of the city, and a crowd numbering many thousands of persons gathered on the expansive green, or the sloping terrace of the magnificent park to witness the ceremony.

United States Senator George Sutherland, of Utah, headed the notification committee, and delivered the address of notification. The celebration incident to the ceremonies is the most elaborate affair ever staged in Utica, and cost many thousands of dollars, subscribed by local citizens, who have been inspired by civic pride and a desire to fittingly observe the high honor conferred upon the city's foremost son.

Aside from the fact that the notification ceremony itself is a Republican function, there is nothing in the huge celebration of a partisan nature. The festivities started last night with an elaborate carnival parade, participated in by organizations from Syracuse, Oneida, Canastota, Rome and many local non-political societies.

Today three companies of the First Infantry of the national guard, the Albany unconditionals, led by Republican State Chairman Barnes, the Syracuse Escort club and the Conkling unconditionals, of Utica, comprised the column of escort for Vice President Sherman and the notification committee.

Reply by Mr. Sherman.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Vice President Sherman received the committee graciously and, when Senator Sutherland had concluded his speech, the vice president replied in part as follows:

"As a loyal Republican, a disciple of the party of Lincoln and Grant, of Harrison and McKinley, and of him for whom the ground upon which we stand, dedicated to public use is named, Roscoe Conkling, I stand squarely upon the party platform.

"Fortunate are we, Republicans, in the fact that our opponets are divided into two camps, rivalling each other in their efforts to excel in disturbing the civic and economic order of the country.

"The Democrat rallying-cry has always been 'a tariff for revenue only,' and the bitterest assault on the policy of protection to American industry. This year sees no innovation. The Democratic candidate, Dr. Wilson, is Bryan and Parker over again, without the oratory of the one or the legal trailing of the other, but with the free trade principles of both seemingly intensified.

Scores Progressives.

"For the first time in the memory of my oldest hearer, the country witnessed a convention held in Chicago, two weeks since, in which there was no roll call of delegates no ballots cast, where red bandanas were preferred to the stars and stripes; where the scene was scarlet overmuch, like the flag of anarchy, not red, white and blue, the symbol of patriotism.

"Both of the opposing parties assault, with equal vehemence, the present tariff, under which our country has so markedly prospered. They abuse the Payne-Aldrich law, without stint and without reason. The tariff act has closed no factory, has put out the fires in no furnace, has thrown no mechanics or laborers out of employment. It has opened no free soup houses for starving families, deprived of the wage of the bread earner; it has formed no bread line of jaded, disheartened seekers for employment.

"Nearly ten millions of depositors in the savings banks had, last year, laid away over four thousand millions of dollars, while every branch of moral, social and educational betterment has received vital impulse and generous support. Wherein can the thoughtful citizen see promise of a betterment in the frantic cry for 'a change?'

'This distinction was not sought by me, but, unsolicited, it is the more appreciated, and its value is augmented by the generous words in which you, Senator Sutherland, are pleased to announce it. I cannot but recognize your message, gentlemen, as a mandate which I must obey."

Entertains Committee.

Following the exercises, Vice President Sherman entertained the members of the committee at his residence, and later they were his guests at a state league baseball game, and a vaudeville show.

Tonight the city will be illuminated, and the celebration will conclude with the discharge of eight tons of fireworks.

Taft's Message.

Washington, Aug. 21.—President Taft today sent the following telegram to Vice President Sherman, regretting his ability to be present when Mr. Sherman was notified of his selection as the Republican nominee for vice president:

"I am very sorry that public business prevents my presence at the ceremonies at which you are to receive formal notification of your second well-deserved nomination by the national Republican party for the office which you hold. I congratulate you and the party on your nomination.

"The Republican party continues to be the party of the constitution, the defender of our guarantees of civil liberty, private property and pursuit of happiness, and other civil rights, the upholder of law and order, the opponent of socialism, the sturdy supporter of high compensation for wage earners, and our industrial success through a protective tariff. I am proud again to be a joint standard bearer with you, for that party of conservatism and progress."

OFFERING AID FOR MODERN JEAN VALJEAN.

Resigned Councilman William Burke.

Philadelphia, Aug. 21.—William Burke, who resigned his seat in the city council because, as an ex-convict, he refused longer to submit to the blackmail of an old pal, has received a magnanimous offer in the effort to bring him back to the city. The mayor and other city authorities have all expressed sympathy for Burke, but it remained for John L. Fehr, American representative of the Chinese merchants' association, to make the first practical proposition of help to this modern Jean Valjean to induce him to come home to Philadelphia and face the music. The offer is made doubly striking because Fehr himself six years ago completed a prison sentence and has since risen to a position of trust and respect. Fehr has promised that if Burke will return to the city he will set him up in the cigar business and let him take his time in paying back the money which Fehr will advance him. There is every reason to believe that Burke will accept the offer.

ABLE SPEAKER WHO NOTIFIED SHERMAN

Senator George Sutherland, of Utah, who officially notified Vice-President James Sherman of his renomination as the Republican vice-presidential candidate.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Jessie Ethel Stone and Charles C. Vandenberg, of Carey, and Miss Ira Sontag and Claire O. Dougherty, of Tiffin.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Florence A. Reed and Fred L. Jones, colored, and Miss Lonada Deaver and Cecil Ferrel.

A marriage license has been issued to Miss Hazel Mildred DeGood, of Morral, and Ned F. Mulcahy, of Union county.

Miss Lenora Marion Smith, of this city, and Leonard Kimmel, of Shelby, have been granted a marriage license.

A mariage license has been issued to Miss Elsie Carolina Orians and Charles Bowers.

A marriage license has been issued to Miss Anna Harrold and Mr. Ora P. McElhiny, of Wapakoneta.

Becomes Very Ill—A son of James Hildreth, of Jefferson street, suffered a spasm while eating apples at his home, Monday morning, and for a time his condition was critical. A doctor was immediately called and gave the child the necessary attention.

AEROPLANE USED TO FIGHT A FIRE.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Chicago's aerial fire department has met with and conquered its first flying fire. The department did its work at the Cicero aviation field, when the motor of a National biplane caught fire.

The flames spread towards the wings. Max Lillie jumped into a Wright biplane. A chemical fire extinguisher was handed the mechanician.

In less than a minute, the Wright had caught up with the National and the mechanician squirted the extinguisher over the flaming wings. the fire was put out before it had done serious damage.

STAND IS TAKEN AGAINST DIVORCE

By the American Catholic Federation,

ASSEMBLED IN THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE

Christian Peoples Asked To Lend Aid.

Federation Strongly Favors the Parochial School and Condemns Reading of the Bible in Public Schools—Bishop McFaul Addresses Convention on "The Apostolate of the Laity."

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 21.—The American Federation of Catholic societies went on record again as opposing an absolute divorce with privilege of remarriage, and called upon all Christian peoples to work for the abrogation of statutes which permit such divorces.

A report of the law committee further recommended that persons who were unable to live together, be permitted a legal separation, but without the bonds of matrimony being broken. They also passed resolutions condemning failure to observe Sunday; asking for the suppression of the white slave traffic; approving labor unions; and pledging the support of the American Catholic church to the principles of the living wage, just hours of labor, protection of life and limb, proper housing conditions, protection for the unorganized worker and to all social service and social reform campaigns.

Stands for Parochial School.

The federation took a decided stand for the parochial school, and for every movement that would aid its work and improve its facilities. It condemned the reading of the Bible in the public schools, and of holding public high school commencements in denominational churches.

Declaring that the press of the United States has an apostolate, which should be respected and cultivated by the Catholic church in all of its branches, Bishop James A. McFaul, of Trenton, New Jersey, in an address on "The Apostolate of the Laity," took the Catholics of America to task for not trying to aid in keeping unclean things out of the news of the day.

Digressing from his prepared speech, Bishop McFaul spoke of what he termed the failure of the Men and Religion Forward movement, fostered by a great many protestant ministers and religious workers in some parts of the country. He told how one New York minister, who was a hard worker in the movement, had declared that the movement had not even made a 'dent in the hide" of the city.

THE FIRSTENBERGER FAMILY REUNION

Members of the Family Gather at Lincoln Park.

The seventh annual reunion of the Firstenberger family was held Wednesday afternoon at Lincoln park. A big dinner was served at the noon hour, and a fine time was enjoyed. Officers were elected late that afternoon. The members of the family present are:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Firstenberger, Mr. and Mrs Frank Firstenberger and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Firstenberger and family, of Cardington; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Firstenberger and family, of Green Camp; Mr. and Mrs. David Klingel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Klingel, Mrs. D. W. Yager and daughter, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jacob Loyer and family, of Richland township; Harry Strawser, of Meeker; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ault and children, of Prospect; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Behner and family of Bethlehem; Charles Kaelber, Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Zechiel, Mrs. Elias Firstenberger and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Firstenberger, Mrs. L. M. Yake and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Berryman and family, Philip Firstenberger, Mr. and Mrs. William Klingel and children, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Loyer, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lauer, Mrs. H. G. Mautz, Miss Lydia Firstenberger, Misses Alice, Clara and Lloyd Mautz, Miss Mary Loyer, Miss Ida Berringer, Miss Grace Retterer, Mr. and Mrs. John Firstenberger and daughter, Miss Norma Mautz, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Klingel and family, Mrs. J. N. Wick and children, Mrs. Wallace Linder and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Haberman and children, of Marion or near the city. Miss Hazel Zeig, of Marion and Miss Nina Fox of Delta were visitors.

CITY IN BRIEF.

He Pleads Guilty—John Palaci pleaded guilty to stealing four pairs of women's shoes from the Erie transfer-house in the court of Justice Charles E. Gompf, Monday. He was fined $20 and the costs. He arranged to settle and was released.

Child Is Injured—The three-year-old daughter of Thomas McClain, of north Greenwood street, suffered a fall Tuesday and suffered a bad cut in the forehead. Surgical attention was required. The child's condition for a time was very serious.

To Repair Bridge — Saturday County Surveyor G. E. Dwyer submitted to the county commissioners the plans and specifications for the repair of the bridge abutments on the Agosta pike near the Oscar Severns residence. One wall a foot in height and two feet wide is to be built on top and over all of the old abutments and wings of walls.

Switchman Hurt—George Coy, an Erie switchman in the local yards, met with an accident while at work Saturday evening. He fell from a car in such a manner as to sprain his right knee and inflict an injury to his right ankle. He was transferred to the Marion City hospital in the Hess & Markert ambulance, and after being given attention, was able to leave the hospital.

ANOTHER MILLIONAIRE BABY EXPECTED SOON.

Mrs. Albert G. Vanderbilt.

New York, Aug. 21.—Authoritative dispatches from London announce that a "happy event" is expected soon by Alfred G. Vanderbilt and his wife, the former Mrs. Smith Hollis McKim, of Baltimore. This event is expected to take place early next month. If the Vanderbilt baby arrives on schedule time, it will be the third millionaire baby to be born wthin a fortnight. Mrs. John Jacob Astor's boy and the infant girl of Lady Decies, who was Vivian Gould, will form a trio whose combined fortunes will outshine the proverbial "King's ransom." Mrs. Vanderbilt and her husband are awaiting the arrival of their stock on their $75,000 houseboat at Wargrave-on-the-Thames.

LIFE STORY OF GENERAL BOOTH

Reveals Nearly a Century of Service

AND DEVOTION TO THE NEEDS OF HUMANITY

Veteran Leader Begins His Work in London.

First Years After Founding of Salvation Army, in 1878, Bitter Ones for Booth—Movement Is Denounced by Clergy—Leader and Wife Persist and Succeed in Forming Marvelous Organization.

London, Aug. 21.—After an illness extending from last May, when he underwent an operation for cataract, General William Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, died at his home in this city.

William Booth was born in Nottingham, England, April 10, 1829. His father was a carpenter, who had little but a consuming religious zeal to suport him in the world. By dint of economy the carpenter managed to give his son a half education and to send him to a private theological tutor for preparation in the Methodist ministry. At 23 the young man took his first church, a small chapel in Nottingham.

During his travels over England on preaching tours he met Catherine Mumford, and after a long engagement they were married in 1856. The Rev. William Booth's wife was in many ways a remarkable woman; she had the same religious zeal as her husband, the same instinct for organization, and a strong appealing quality in her personality which later served to attract the besotted people of the London slums to her.

For five years after their marriage Booth and his wife lived the precarious existence of revivalists. He laid a plan of campaign before the conference of the Methodist new connection church. It was radical; they would have none of it.

Cuts Loose From Orthodoxy.

Then it was that the zealot cut loose from orthodoxy as it was construed by his superiors and went down to preach to the people of the mean streets in his own way. The flock he chose to lead was not only of the very poor, but the very criminal, the lowest dregs of a great city, born to an inheritance of crime through generations. In 1865 Booth and his family settled in Mile End Waste, one of the blackest corners of the East End, and the work of saving souls by new methods began. His first tabernacle had been a second-hand tent erected in a disused burying ground on Mile End road.

Before 1878, when the Salvation Army had its inception, Booth had learned the bitterness of the work that he had selected for himself. Probably the bitterest moments that the indomitable evangelist was ever made to feel followed the first marchings of this tatterdemalion Christian "army" of regenerated sots and criminals through the streets of Whitechapel. It was a holiday for the masses whenever the little band straggled out of their tabernacle and marched behind their wheezing instruments; everything that lent itself to hurling was hurled, and in many cases the police sided with the roughs and arrested the salvationists for obstructing the highways. Then when noise of this sensational evangelizing reached the ears of the clergy of the West End congregations, they rose in wrath and denounced the "vulgar sensationalism" and the "irreverent trumpery" of this Salvation Army.

Persisted In Work.

But Booth persisted in the work. Before a year had passed there were 127 officers in its ranks and 81 corps had been established throughout England. Before the Salvation Army was four years old, General Booth and his wife began the long series of social reforms and sterling charities which stand today monuments to their greatness, as enduring as the army itself.

With the growth of the Salvation Army came the development of its "general's" insistence upon a despotism more military than any other attribute of the army. Through that very insistence rose the breach between himself and his son Ballington, which resulted in the establishment of an independent body known as the Volunteers of America. Probably this break was the greatest grief that was ever visited upon the veteran evangelist.

DONALD HOFSTETTER DIES TUESDAY NIGHT

Little One a Son of Late Murdered Policeman.

Donald, aged two years, two months and one day, the posthumous son of the late Patrolman Jerome Hofstetter, who was killed by a thug, died of dysentery at the home of the mother, now Mrs. G. O. Beaver, No. 1121 Wood street, Tuesday night at 10 o'clock.

The funeral services were held at the home of G. W. Benson No. 357 Olney avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Norway is considering a hydro-electric scheme which is calculated to represent a capacity of more than two hundred thousand horse-power.

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MRS. D. F. EDWARDS DIES OF HER INJURIES

A Deplorable Street Car Accident Sunday Evening.

VICTIM SUFFERS OF FRACTURED SKULL

Surgeons Called Find at Once That Mrs. Edwards Is Beyond Human Aid—Her Death Follows Accident About Three Hours—A Christian Woman Held in High Regard.

Mrs. De Forest Edwards, widow of the late prominent dry goods merchant of Marion, was fatally injured, Sunday evening about 7:30 o'clock, when she attempted to alight from a moving street car on east Center street. She died three hours later without regaining consciousness.

Mrs Edwards and her cousin, Miss Emma Dana, of Cleveland, who is visiting at the Edwards home, had been up street and were returning home on a crowded, open street car on Baker street Mrs. Edwards signalled for the car to stop, but the conductor did not see the signal and they were carried on to Greenwood street. As they neared Greenwood street the car slackened its speed. Mrs Edwards said, "Here we are at Greenwood street," and stepped off the car while it was still in motion. Her foot missed the running-board and she fell, striking the right side of her head on the brick pavement, rendering her unconscious. She was tenderly carried into the home of Mrs Edward Huber, and Drs. A. and Herman S. Rhu called. She had suffered three wounds, one over the right eye, one back of the ear and another about midway between. The surgeons made an incision over the eye but found that the wounds were fatal and that no surgical relief could save her life. She was then removed to her home, at No. 556 east Church street, in the Hess & Markert ambulance, where she passed away, without regaining consciousness, at 9.30 o'clock, her death having been caused by hemorrhages of the brain.

The car involved in the accident was No. 512. John Wren was the motorman, and R. E. Dickerson, conductor.

Mrs. Edwards' maiden name was Grace A. Adams. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Adams of Warren, and was born at that place fifty-two years ago last May She was married at her home in Warren to Mr. De Forest Edwards, May 31, 1888, and came to this city a bride. To this union were born a son and a daughter, George De Forest and Grace Eloise, who survive mother and father. Mr. Edwards, who was vice president of the Warner & Edwards company, and one of the most highly-respected and prosperous business men of the city, died December 9, 1909. The son graduated from Harvard college last June and is at present in business at Cambridge, Massachusetts, and expecteed to take a postgraduate course this fall. He arrived home Tuesday morning. Miss Edwards is a student at Wheaton seminary at Norton, Massachusetts, and is at home spending the summer vacation.

Aside from her children the deceased is survived by two brothers and three sisters. They are G. D. Adams, of Cleveland, who arrived here Monday; Harry Adams, of Chicago; Mrs. Charles Wilson, of Indianapolis; Mrs. W. W. McBride and Mrs. George Southmayd, of Omaha, Nebraska.

Mrs. Edwards was a woman of a beautiful Christian character. She was a member of the Christian Science church and an earnest worker. Prominent socially she not only gained a wide acquaintance, but made many lasting and devoted friendships, by her thoughtfulness for others. She was beloved by all who knew her, and her sad death comes as a severe shock not only to those intimately associated with her, but to all who were fortunate to have her acquaintance.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, with Christian Science services. The remains were laid to rest in the Marion cemetery.

In cellar or pantry where it is difficult to keep the air dry, place bowls of unslaked lime on the shelves near the food. The lime, of course, should be renewed from time to time.

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SAVE THE POTATO CROP BY TIMELY SPRAYING

Late Blight and Rot Fungus Is Now Prevailing.

The late blight and rot fungus of potato, has been collected in practically all of the potato fields about Wooster, August 13 and 14, 1912, by representatives of the botanical department of the Ohio experiment station; this has already made unusual progress under the recent cool, moist weather, and certainly has been at work for a week or more. The same fungus was collected August 15, 1904, July 25, 1905 and August 3, 1906. Should the season continue as heretofore, with cool weather, or be very moist, it is feared the injury to the late crop may prove to be very great—even exceeding thatt of 1905.

This disease works very rapidly and is distinguishable from the other dying of potato leaves by the mildew-like or frosted appearance of the under portion of the diseased parts of leaves. This late blight and rot of potatoes may be prevented by spraying frequently with strong Bordeaux mixture, made with four to six pounds of blue vitrol and four to six pounds of lime to fifty gallons of water; the spraying to begin immediately. This spray requires to be repeated at eight to ten day intervals until the crop is matured. In 1906 spraying as above gave a gain of forty to forty-five bushels of marketable potatoes to the acre upon the late crop. Four to six sprayings may yet be required on very late plantings. Under conditions such as have characterized the season of 1912, delay in spray treatment is most unwise. The rot of tubers follows the leaf dying. Instructions for making and applying the spray are contained in the spray calendar, bulletin No. 232, which will be sent upon application.

For these later applications of the spray about 100 gallons an acre, or even more, will be required for effective covering of leaves. With an ordinary four-row sprayer it will be wise to go twice over the field, moving in the opposite direction the second time, after the first spray has dried.

In all the experience of the experiment station more wide-spread occurrence of the disease at this time has never been observed in Wayne county, and it is feared that conditions are even worse further north and in the Western Reserve generally. Specimens may be submitted to the station botanist to determine the appearance of late blight. For information and for bulletins, address, Experiment Station, Wooster, Ohio.

CARRIES HIS SUIT TO THE CIRCUIT COURT

A Petition in Error Is Filed by George Whysall.

George Whysall, whose $25,000 personal damage suit against Eli M. West, rival receiver for the Columbus, Delaware & Marion Railway company, was thrown out in common pleas court by Judge W. P. Henderson, of Kenton, July 5, filed a petition-in-error in the circuit court, Monday.

Whysall, through his attorneys, says Judge Henderson erred in holding that Receiver West, as an officer of the Franklin county court of common pleas, is immune from the service of summons when in this county in performance of his duties as receiver. Whysall's suit had been prepared and was ready for filing the moment that West came to Marion and service of summons could be secured.

In giving his opinion on a motion to dismiss the action because the service of summons was illegal, Judge Henderson said that Whysall could recover damages, if he had been injured as alleged, in Franklin county as well as in Marion county.

The petition-in-error was filed by Scofield & Durfee, of Marion; Finley & Gallinger, of Bucyrus, and Cummings, McBride & Wolfe, of Mansfield.

In his suit filed in the common pleas court, April 20, Whysall avers that West maliciously and falsely, without probable or reasonable cause, made oath that he, Whysall, had conspired and interferred with him in the administration of the receivership. As a result of West's charges, Whysall was haled into the court of Judge E. B. Kinkead in Columbus on a citation for contempt, and later released.

DANIEL ROWLANDS DIES AT LIMA HOME

Death Is the Result of Illness of Two Months.

Edward Rowlands, of the Hoover-Rowlands Furniture company, received word, Monday, of the death of his father, Daniel Rowlands, of Lima. Mr. Rowlands had been ill for two months of a complication of diseases. He was past eighty years of age and was at one time one of the leading contractors of the state.

The deceased is survived by his widow and five children, A. D. Rowlands, of Mansfield; J. W. Rowlands of Lima, Mrs. Samuel Puterlaugh, and Charles Rowlands, of Zanesville, and Edward Rowlands of this city.

The funeral services were held at the home of the family Wednesday afternoon, after which interment was made in the Lima cemetery. Mr. Rowlands was an ardent church worker and respected by all.

MARION ELOPERS ARE MARRIED AT WINDSOR

Miss Elsie Halloway and Mr. Fred Throckmorton.

REV. S. W. HOLLINRAKE PERFORMS CEREMONY

Couple Dodges Father of Bride in This City—Go to Prospect and Catch a Train for Toledo—Parental Forgiveness Is Given When the Elopers Returned Home.

Seventeen-year-old Elsie Halloway, of Agosta, and twenty-one-year-old Fred Throckmorton eloped to Windsor, Canada, Saturday, and were married there by Rev. S. W. Hollinrake.

"Are you eighteen?" asked the minister, turning to the blushing bride.

"Well, don't I look like I was eighteen," the bride replied. "And I did not fib to him," the girl said when she returned to Marion with her husband, early Sunday morning.

Young Throckmorten is a son of Dr. Edward Throckmorton. He became acquainted with his bride at the Susquehanna silk mills, where both were employed until a week ago when Miss Halloway's father, William Halloway, moved to Agosta.

Saturday, the father drove to Marion. The daughter said she did not want to ride in an old wagon, and came on a train. She met her lover here. Fearing the father might see them board the Hocking Valley train north in this city, Saturday morning, they went to Prospect on the interurban. At Prospect they caught the Hocking Valley train and went to Windsor.

The young people were forgiven by their parents upon their return home, Sunday. They will make their home in this city.

NEW MAUSOLEUM IS DEDICATED SUNDAY

A Large Crowd Attends Exercises at Prospect.

The dedication services of the new mausoleum in the cemetery at Prospect, Sunday afternoon, attracted a big congregation and a great deal of interest was shown. The mausoleum is one of the most modern and is regarded very generally as one of the best in the state. It has been in process of construction for some time past and is the first structure of the Ohio Mausoleum company, of Shelby, dedicated.

The program was opened about 2:30 o'clock with music by a male quartet from Galion and Rev. A. M. Chapin, of the Presbyterian church, offered prayer. The dedicatory address was delivered by Rev. D. J. Meese, chaplain of the Ohio state reformatory at Mansfield. He was heard with close attention. Grover C. Hunter, of Shelby, who has been looking after the work, and who is one of the originators of the new mausoleum plan, gave a short history of the work. Rev. W. E. Huckereide, of the Reformed church, conducted the dedication service and later the main entrance doors were unveiled and the mausoleum thrown open for inspection by the public. During the services several numbers were contributed by the quartet and the program as a whole was excellent.

MOUSER WILL NOT ENTER THE CONTEST

Not a Candidate for Seat on the Common Pleas Bench.

Monday, former Congressman Grant E. Mouser declared that he would be an independent candidate for the election of judge of the common pleas court in opposition to Judge Daniel Babst, of Crestline. He has received numerous inquiries from friends in Marion, Wyandot and Crawford counties concerning his reported candidacy. "I feel very grateful to my friends, but have made up my mind not to be a candidate," he said.

The field is now left open to Hon. William Geer, of Galion, a strong Taft supporter, and Attorney A. T. Walton, of Upper Sandusky, a Bull Mooser.

New Goods for Our August Sale.

Are arriving in every day—Something new and attractive in every department.

Ladies' Combs and Barrettes, each 10c, 15c, 23c, 50c

Gold plated Bar Pins, with brilliant settings, each....45c

Plated Bar Pins, each 35c

Gold plated Beauty Pins 2 for.....10c

Long white Silk Gloves, per pair.....$1.00

75 All-over Laces, per yard..19c

Brecton Lunch Baskets, ea..35c

Willow Clothes Baskets, ea..59c

$1.25 extra heavy Tin Boilers 85c

3 qt. enameled Coffee Pot....25c

$1.00 enameled Stop Jars, ea.75c

Mason's Fruit Jars, per dozen .....45c and 50c

Dankle Safety Jars, per doz..70c

Best Tin Cans, per doz.....35c

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Council Will Be Asked for Pavilion Franchise in Garfield Park and an Effort Will Be Made To Raise Ten Thousand Dollars for Permanent Improvements.

Important decisions were reached Thursday in matters concerning the future of the Chautauqua. With unanimity and enthusiasm the entire membership of the Chautauqua board voted to take steps to perpetuate an organization, have a manageable business body, and make and hold its own organization of Chautauqua patrons.

The Marion Chautauqua has proven an agreeable success. It has not only won public aproval, but it has the good fortune to have a surplus in its treasury. The latter fact is due more to good fortune than to business management, for it has been a voluntary body, without definitely fixed responsibilities. At the close of the last assembly, when an accounting was made, it was observed that the expenses exceeded what a close, business-like management would approve. It was also learned that the directors were risking large individual responsibility. And it was further noted that the sum expended for a tent and temporary seating would in ten years build and equip a permanent pavilion. Contemplating all these things the board decided to have a permanent organization, and invite popular participation, in a Chautauqua corporation. Steps have already been taken to secure a corporate charter for the Marion County Chautauqua company, with an authorized capital of $10,000, divided into 1,000 shares of ten dollars each. Application was made today by Attorney W. N. Harder for the charter, the papers being signed by the members of the Chautauqua board. The charter is for a profit-sharing corporation, because it was found that in a non-profit-sharing corporate body, the trustees were held personally responsible for all debts. But, though of the profit-sharing character, the Chautauqua company is not to be operated for profit. The plan worked out—and the board wants every Chautauqua patron to know and join in the enterprise, is to have a ten dollar share available to every one with that much interest in the work, let no one have to exceed five or ten shares, in case the selling of collective shares is necessary, and hold the annual meeting during the assembly week, and have the shareholders elect the board of directors, instead of the present self-perpetuating body. Everybody who will contribute or invest ten dollars will have a vote in the choosing of the managing board.

The further plan is to take the funds thus raised and erect a permanent pavilion, with inclined cement floor, comfortable seats and all needed accessories. The thought is to erect this pavilion in Garfield park, if council will grant a suitable franchise. The board visited the park Thursday, found it ideal for the purpose, and last night appointed a committee to negotiate with council for the requisite franchise. It is believed that the plan will not only have council's approval, but meet with general public favor, because the pavilion would be made available for public use, notably for conventions and civic gatherings. It is to be made with a capacity to seat 4,000 to 5,000 people. If erected in Garfield park it will be a permanent improvement, good for twenty-five years, with suitable stage, housing, sanitary surroundings and everything befitting such an improvement. The funds acquired by the sale of stock are to go to this improvement, and the present surplus fund on hand will be held as the annual guarantee fund, and save the pledged guarantee that must be made new every year by business men to assure the assembly. If the Chautauqua prospers as it has thus far, the saving and the surplus will be ample to return to shareholders the money invested, and then devote any possible profits to benevolence or public betterments of the parks. At no time is the Chautauqua to be made a money-making enterprise for the shareholders.

The board did not reorganize for the organization will follow the acquirements of a charter. However, the dates were fixed for next year's assembly, opening July 26 and closing Agust 3. It was also voted to have entirely new talent in every department of the program for 1913.

FIVE WOMEN TAKE FIRST RIDE IN AUTO

Delaware County Women Given a Great Treat.

Five Delaware county women, ages averaging more than seventy-five years, enjoyed their first automobile ride, Wednesday afternoon, and they were all in the same machine, says the Delaware Journal-Herald. The joy riders were Mrs. Martin, living near Bieber's Mill, south of the city; Mrs. Evans, of Hyattsville; Mrs. Harris, of Cheshire; Mrs. Richardson, of Lewis Center, and Mrs. Dunham, of the Curve road.

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STIRRING INCIDENT OF NORTON RECALLED

The Death of Cornelius Hull in Missouri.

MAN WHO STANDS OFF A MOB AT NORTON

Crowd Is Bent on Killing Hull and His Friends, but Hull by His Courage Forces the Fellows To Give Up Their Purpose—Story of Civil War Days.

The stirring days of civil war times at Norton were recalled by the death of Cornelius Hull at Marysville, Missouri, Monday, August 12, says the Delaware Gazette. Mr. Hull was a former well known resident of Marlboro township, but during the latter years of his life resided in Nodaway county, Missouri.

Mr. Hull was born in Marion county, November 7, 1826, and lived in this part of the country until after he had grown to manhood. In February, 1848, he married Miss Jane Ann Wyatt, who was the first of four wives. He twice enlisted in the civil war, serving in the Twentieth Ohio, and later being first lieutenant of C company, 145th Ohio, which company he helped recruit.

Mr. Hull was a man of wonderful force of character, and at one time put it to a test when he faced a mob bent on killing him and the color-bearer of his company, and by sheer will power backed them away from their purpose. And that, too was after they had knocked the color-bearer down and were inflamed with passion.

The incident happened during a political meeting in 1864 at Uorton, O. Orators had been haranguing the crowd from the second story of the porch at Sutton's hotel. Feeling was rampant and the rougher element began to sway the crowd.

"Kill Bill Brown and Cornelius Hull," was the shout that went up from different parts of the crowd. Some of the leaders among the thugs armed themselves with clubs.

Bill Brown, the color-bearer of Lieutenant Hull's company, was on the outskirts of the crowd. The armed bullies hunted him out and hit him with a club.

Mr. Hull was in their midst in a minute. With masterful gesture he waved the thugs back and stayed their raised weapons. "You may kill Bill Brown and me tonight," he told them, as he stood over Brown's prostrate form, "but what of tomorrow?" And then with a simple, convincing oratory he followed them back step by step as they retreated before it, he pointed out the folly of violence, and the fury of the members of his company if the two were murdered. His knowledge of human nature was sound. He knew their cowardice, and played upon it. The crowd melted away, awed, and the thugs never ceased to hold him in fear.

PRESIDENT REGRETS CAN NOT BE PRESENT

Letter Received by Secretary of the Bills' Association.

Judge W. S. Spencer, secretary of the Marion County Bills association, has received from President William H. Taft a personal letter thanking him for the invitation to attend the Labor day Bill picnic. In the same mail he received another letter from Charles W. Bryan, who begged to thank him in behalf of his brother, William J. Bryan, for the kind invitation. Both letters expressed regret because of the inability of the president and of the distinguished Nebraskan to attend. President Taft's letter follows:

"White House, Washington, August 14, 1912.

"My Dear Mr. Spencer:

"I have your note of August 12th, and am very sorry that I have other engagements for September 2, conditioned upon the adjournment of congress, which will make it impossible for me to be with you at your celebration. I thank you for your courtesy in extending the invitation to me, and send you my best wishes for a most enjoyable occasion.

"Sincerely yours,

"William H. Taft."

A Daughter Born.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hecker, of Blain avenue, Friday.

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JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT HOME OF BRIDE

Miss Jessie Ethel Stone and Mr. C. C. Vandenberg.

A SMALL COMPANY WITNESSES CEREMONY

Mr. and Mrs. Vandenberg Will Make Their Future Home at Springfield, Where the Groom Is Employed in Shops—Couple Has Many Friends in This City.

Miss Jesise Ethel Stone, of this city, and Mr. Charles C. Vandenberg, of Springfield, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stone, of Lee street, Sunday at noon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. C. Bates, of West Liberty, formerly of this city, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride was beautifully gowned and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Lillian Stone and the best man was Robert Vanderberg, of Carey.

Following the ceremony a dinner was served at the Stone home. After a week's visit with the groom's parents at Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Vandenberg will go to Springfield, where the groom is employed in the East Street shops.

The bride is quite well known and popular in this city, and Mr. Vandenberg is an exemplary young man, with a host of friends in Springfield and Carey.

JOHN C. WAITLEY DIES AT MARSEILLES

Death Is the Result of a Protracted Illness.

John Corwin Waitley, of Marseilles, died Thursday evening, on the sixty-ninth anniversary of his birth. He had been ill for some time of hardening of the liver.

Mr. Waitley was born in Trumbull county, August 15, 1843, and was married to Miss Levina Page, April 28, 1861. In 1863, he enlisted in the Second Ohio volunteer heavy artillery, and served until May 3, 1865, when he was wounded in battle, and was honorably discharged.

The deceased was a member of Ellis Post, G. A. R., and a member of the Methodist Epsicopal church. He was a man of good Christian character, and was held in high esteem by all.

Mr. Waitley is survived by his widow and seven children, Alva Waitley, of Kenton; Fred Waitley, of Marseilles, G. B. Waitley, of Worthington; Mrs. Taylor Blow, of Marion; Mrs. G. H. Chandler, of Marseilles; Mrs. Steven Setterfield, of Waldo, and Mrs. John Lehner, of Cardington.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Marseilles Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. H. H. Hodge officiating, following which burial was made in the Paw Paw cemetery.

F. A. Stengle, Optician, S. State St. 42-e&wk-tf.

AN INFANT DIES SUNDAY MORNING

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Gardner Lose Little One.

James L. Gardner, aged about one year, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Gardner, of No. 3 Fountain street, died of dysentery and spasms, Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The child had been ill for some time.

The funeral services were held Tuesday.

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CHICAGO & ERIE.

West—*7:25 a. m.; *‡5: 10 p. m.; 10:25 a. m.; 11:54 p. m.

East—5:25 a. m.; 6:20 a. m ; 12:53 p. m.; 5:58 p. m.; 11:55 p. m.; *†9:55 a. m.; *‡5:10 p. m.

*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only.
‡Runs to Ohio City only.

BIG FOUR.

Eastbound—8:00 a. m., local; 9:20 a. m.; 12:32 p. m.; 7:33 p. m.; 10:45 p. m.; *8:37 p. m.

Westbound—5:42 a. m.; 9:55 a. m.; 1:05 p. m.; 7:13 p. m.; *3:10 p. m.

*Daily, except Sunday.

HOCKING VALLEY.

North—*7:38 a. m.; 10:20 a. m.; 4:10 p. m.; †6:10 p. m.; 11:34 p. m.

South—5:40 a. m.; 7:15 a. m.; 10:20 a. m.; *1:18 p. m.; 7:20 p. m.

*Daily except Sunday.
†Runs to Marion only. A half hour later on Saturday and Sunday.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Northbound—8:20 a. m.; †12:17 p. m.; 6:52 p. m.

Southbound—10.20 a. m.; †4:45 p. m.; 8:06 p. m.

†Daily except Sunday.

C., D. & M. ELECTRIC.

Depart Southbound—6 a. m.; 7 a. m.; 8 a. m.; 9 a. m.; 11 a. m.; 12 m.; 1 p. m.; 3 p m; 4 p. m.; 5 p. m.; 6 p. m.; 7 p. m.; 9 p. m.; *11 p. m.

Arrive Northbound—†5.55 a. m.; †6.55 a. m.; †7.55 a. m.; 8.55 a. m.; 9.50 a. m.; 10.55 a. m.; 12.55 p. m.; 1.50 p. m.; 2.55 p. m.; 4.55 p. m.; 5.50 p. m.; 6:55 p. m.; 8:55 p. m.; 10:55 p. m.

*Goes to Delaware only. †From Stratford only.

C., M. B. ELECTRIC.

Northbound—Cars leave for Bucyrus at 6 a. m., 8 a. m., 10 a. m.; 12:05 p. m., 2 p. m., 4 p. m., 6 p. m. *9 p. m.

Southbound—Cars leave Bucyrus for Marion at 7:05 a. m., 9:05 a. m., 11:10 a. m.; 1:05 p. m., 3:05 p. m., 5:05 p. m., 7:10 p. m., *10:20 p. m.

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T. R., THE TRUST BUSTER, AS SEEN BY LA FOLLETTE.

The country is getting some timely and illuminating truths from Battle Bob The Wisconsin senator is the original "Progressive," no doubt about that He had the "Progressive" presidential bee all to himself, till its buzzing set the head of Roosevelt in a whirl Then greater nerve and loftier egotism, boosted by hero-worship and Perkins' powder, sent La Follette to the rear, and he wisely, if reluctantly, decided to be "progressive" in the Republican party. These introductory sentences are offered to give due weight to what La Follette has to say on real and practical progressivism as achieved by the boss proclaimer. Under Roosevelt's seven and a half years as president, so Battle Bob openly proclaimed in the United States senate, the trusts and combinations increased in number from 149 to 10,020. During the same seven and half years' reign of Theodore, the Good, these same trusts increased their aggregate capital from $3,000,000,000 to $31,000,000,000, and seventy per cent. of the increase was water. Then he added: "The time to have been potential in deterring trusts was when they were forming and I do not think the man who was president then is the man to find the way out now." And, as if to compare the Pretender to the Republican he opposes, he says: "The Taft administration has sought to apply the Sherman anti-trust law more vigorously than its predecessor, but the effective time was in the infancy of these trusts, when there were only 149."

We need not quote further, nor attempt the inference La Follette makes from the support accorded Roosevelt, by such "interests" men as Perkins and Munsey. To a good many, the Pretender has so proclaimed his love for the dear people, that it is inconceivable that the trusts and interests are back of his candidacy. But they are, inspired by hostility to Taft because of his fearless efforts to enforce the anti-trust laws without playing favorites, and hoping to profit again as they did before, under a Roosevelt administration It was freely uttered, during the Republican convention in Chicago, that Wall street wanted Roosevelt again, because he was a rigid conservative when needed, and an active alarmist when alarm was useful. He could be lined up "stiddy" when Wall street was desirous of selling at a long price, and throw a scare, with delight, when Wall street chose to buy in, at sacrifice prices. The story of stocks from 1904 to 1907 confirm this tale. At any rate progressivism is not his purpose, else he would have turned to LaFollette or Hadley when his own defeat was apparent. Roosevelt was after the presidency, nothing else mattered Angered over defeat, he now aims to wreck the party which he could not control. La Follette is helping to reveal his selfishness and hypocrisy The country is bound to come to an understanding. And when it does the one-time Republicans who followed his banner will be Republicans again, and his candidacy will seem a joke to those he hoped to fool. Lay on, La Follette! We note that the truths you utter are too easily proven to call forth denial from an ordinarily ready tongue No Battle Bob has yet been consigned to the great Ananias club.

CHAIRMAN DAUGHERTY HOLDS AN OPEN DOOR

Harry M. Daugherty, who was chosen chairman of the Ohio Republican Executive committee, Tuesday, will manage an aggressive campaign in Ohio. Headquarters opened today, the latch-string is out, Chairman Daugherty has a ready ear and a cordial hand for every loyal Republican, and invites advice, cooperation, confidence and assistance. Chairman Daugherty is well fitted to manage, he is resourceful and experienced, he inspires enthusiasm, he believes the party bigger than any man or set of men, and thinks Republican accomplishment is a good claim to continued Republican control in the nation and restore Republican administration in Ohio.

Chairman Daugherty takes the right stand on the matter of Republican division. There can be none now. No matter what differences there were among Republicans at the time of the primaries and up to the time of convention decisions, those are to be forgotten. Republicans had the right to differ, the unchallenged right of choice There are to be no reprisals, no reminders, no hostilities on that account. But after the Chicago convention uttered a platform and named the Republican candidates, there was no longer occasion for differences. One had to be a Republican then, or take a place outside the ranks. Those who followed the bolting Roosevelt, after the convention are not Republicans. They can expect no place in party councils, until they enlist under the Republican banner There is to be no personal warfare, no ugliness, but there is a demand for party loyalty And loyal Republicans are everywhere lining up, and showing great interest in the plans of battle. They are turning from Roosevelt in disgust They saw him, trusted and hailed as a national hero, seek a third term of the presidency as an avowed Republican. They saw him attempt the old game of emasculating a convention by the contest plan, and saw him fail because strong men understood and opposed. Then they saw him attempt to browbeat a great national body of Republicans, and failing in that, maddened by personal defeat, start a movement to disrupt the party which had honored him and made him great The danger of his ambition grew apparent. The selfishness of his purposes could not be hidden. The lack of principle was palpable The imposition grew evident. And thousands who were for Roosevelt, sincerely, are Republicans first, and will cling to the party rather than blindly follow his leadership further The evidence of this fact has already impressed Chairman Daugherty, and he starts on his work, confident that Ohio Republicans will come into their own again, next November.

THE EXAMPLE OF HADLEY AS A LOYAL REPUBLICAN

Governor Herbert Hadley, of Missouri, to whom was given the greatest demonstration in the Chicago Republican convention, the recognized floor-leader of the Roosevelt supporters in the convention, and who might have been the nominee of the Republicans for president had not the surpassing selfishness and uncontrollable ambition of the "Dictator" prevented, is a fine example of loyal and lofty Republicanism Nobody can doubt where Governor Hadley stood before the convention reached its decision. He was a strong and more effective supporter of "King Ted" than Johnson, of California, or Stubbs, of Iowa. And nobody is to be permitted to doubt where he stands now. Governor Hadley is a Republican, and as such is supporting President Taft and the Republican ticket, and there is no inconsistency about it.

Writing to Leslie's Weekly and replying to the charge that the party is sectional and has outlived its usefulness—we can't resist writing that it has only outlived its usefulness to the ungrateful beneficiary who puts his own ambition above party—Governor Hadley says:

"The Republican party is no less sectional today than it was in the days of Lincoln, Grant, Garfield, McKinley and Roosevelt. The splendid service that it has rendered to the people of the United States and to civilization has been rendered notwithstanding the fact that a large majority of those who composed it lived north of Mason & Dixon's line.

"Speaking from a personal standpoint, I have felt that as the head of the Republican party in the fifth largest Republican state in the union, and the largest west of the Mississippi, as the captain of the ship for the time being, I should not be among the first to abandon it and that I should not abandon it at all unless fully convinced that it is going down."

Here is the utterance of a man, and a loyal Republican, who glories in Republican accomplishments, and sees no reason for relinquishing Republican faith. To a Beveridge and a Garfield and a Bill Flinn, the party is gone, because their jobs or their influence is gone They put pap and pull above all else. They are like the pitiful crowd in Ohio, which would disavow or deceive solely to capture a half dozen state offices.

If principle had inspired the Bull Moose followers, they could have written any honest declaration worth while in the Chicago Republican platform. Roosevelt energy, personality and popularity, applied to the declaration of party faith, amid loyalty and gratitude, would have been irresistible. But the "Dictator" had no such concern He meant to be president again, for how long nobody knows When his followers told him that party devotion and concern could be wrought into the nomination of Hadley in the Chicago convention, he condescendingly agreed that "I would gladly have Governor Hadley on the ticket with me" That reward conveys the spirit and purpose of the whole Bull Moose campaign. We are curious to see how many Republicans, blinded to hero worship or drifting in disappointment, will follow such selfishness, of such an egotist, in this crucial year of American politics Not many, we fancy, when the sober, second thought is taken They will more likely see a fitting example in Missouri's governor and Republican leader, who made the fight and lost but clings to the party whose splendid service in the past is an earnest of its accomplishment in the future

The fellows who think there will be no Republicans elected to office in Marion county this fall, have time to revise their guesses Party destruction hasn't any serious foothold here.

GOOD WALTER BROWN, THE CONFESSOR-REFORMER

We hail Walter Brown as the confessor-reformer. In the published statement, notifying the faithful that he will boss the Ohio Bull Moosers, Brown makes this ringing-sounding declaration: "I want a party that can not be either used or appropriated by big business, as has happened in the past" Which proves that Walter has had a great change of heart He knows that the revolt of big business and its attack on President Taft are due wholly to the fact that big business could neither influence nor control. That's what's the matter with Dan Hanna That's the source of George Perkins' grief President Taft is the first president in a good many years that big business could not influence This is literally true, and its casts no reflection on the revered memory of McKinley to say it. When McKinley came to power, business was languishing, and the country paralyzed, and it was a part of his great work to get all the wheels to going There had to be a restoration before the reformation could be made

But we meant to specifically speak of the reformation of Walter Brown. He is a clever, resourceful, capable politician, and a bully good fellow to know, as T. R. would say, but Ohio needs the lime-light to construe his political maneuvers He is the attorney of the great public service corporations of Toledo. He came into politics, looking after their interests and backed by their influence. He came in the hey-day of the late Senator Hanna's power, when big business and particularly public service corporations were influential in our politics One instance will emphasize, and help to measure Walter Brown's utterance quoted above. The law abolishing spring elections was one of his measures. "Well, that's a good thing," says the reader. Wait, and hear the story. The Toledo public service corporations, notably the street railways, had expiring franchises They were to be voted upon in the spring of 1904. They did not like the prospect, with no partisan spirit to becloud the issue, and Walter Brown went to the general assembly, and used his influence as boss of Lucas county to abolish spring elections The abolition of one election time was popular and made a good cloak. But the crime was hooking up the municipal contest with state and presidential elections, and that was what Brown wanted. Fortunately there were a few friends of the people and a few possessors of political conscience other than pretenders like Brown is today, and they passed his measure abolishing spring elections, but they passed, in the same hour, as a part of an inseparable program, a resolution for a constitutional amendment changing our election system, so that we should not only have no spring elections, but municipal elections should be held in November in odd years, and state and federal elections in November in even years. It is a good change, but Walter Brown, enemy of big business in politics, originated the change, hoping to hook up municipal and general elections, solely in the interests of the public service corporations of Toledo Perhaps nobody cares now

This paper makes the reference and recalls an experience challenging denial, only to show that Mr Walter Brown has been chiefly engaged as a big business agent in the Republican party, and when he found he couldn't dominate and dictate, he decided to promote a party he could boss Add to this the fact that Walter Brown was not converted until he failed to name Grant Denman, his man, for governor, only ten days ago, and Republicans, Bull Moosers, Democrats and Socialists will have same estimate of Walter Brown's sincerity.

GETTING READY FOR THE EMPLOYMENT OF I. AND R.

We confess that we are a little surprised at the amount of press comment which has been caused by the incorporation of a company at Columbus by former employes of the constitutional convention, the purpose of which, as set forth in the charter, is the procuring of signatures to petitions and the promoting of legislation under the "I. and R." There is nothing surprising in this. We have shown by quotations from journals printed in other states where they are plagued with this system, that it inevitably breeds a new pest known as "petition peddlers" and "signature chasers." It can not be alleged that the new concern is unduly precipitate, for it is not the first in the field Mr. Bigelow, himself, enjoys the honor of being first and he has an organization already completed, with ramifications extending into every part of the state and into every stratum of society The Star said sometime ago that if his plans work out at the election on September 3, Mr. Bigelow will have provided himself with a life-job Since then he has been building his organization, and it has been done at state expense. Since the adjournment of the convention some of its operatives have been retained upon the payroll and have been working in different parts of the state The "con" con." was not content to perform its labors and pass them up to the people for acceptance or rejection. Instead, it has organized a lobbying force and is using the money appropriated for the expenses of the convention to lobby the propositions through the election period. Those who oppose them, having an equal right to the state's funds, are compelled to bear their own expenses. If the people give their approval to the Bigelow schemes on September 3, we will have organized bunches of agitators busily at work in all parts of the state at all times, and we will be called upon to go to the polls every month or two.

RECALLING CONTESTS OF THE CHICAGO CONVENTION

A simple, straight-forward, old-time Republican dropped into the office the other day, and said, "Say, the only doubt I feel about my political duty would be removed, if I was clear that Teddy had not been steam-rollered at Chicago, in June." He was enlightened, and satisfied, and left declaring he and the boys would all be boosting for President Taft with old-time enthusiasm. The incident suggested that there might be others like him, others misled by the Roosevelt outcry of fraud and, stealing at Chicago, and it seems a duty to shed the light.

Colonel Roosevelt's cry of theft and fraud is the biggest piece of hypocrisy ever exhibited in American politics in any party. Let us recall the preliminaries that provided a stage setting for the outcry. Before the convention there were over 252 contests, of which 238 were brought in the interests of Roosevelt, leaving only fourteen brought in behalf of President Taft. Of these for Roosevelt, no less than 164 were trumped-up cases and were eventually abandoned or thrown out without more than pretended opposition. Before the national committee and before the committee on credentials there was no serious effort to sustain these 164 fake contests. Here is the secret, as explained by Frank Munsey, one of Roosevelt's most notable supporters:

"For psychological effect as a move in practical politics it was necessary for the Roosevelt people to start contests on these early Taft selections in order that a tabulation of delegate strength could be put out that would show Roosevelt holding a good hand. In the game a table showing Taft 150, Roosevelt 19, contested none, would not be very much calculated to inspire confidence, whereas one showing Taft 23, Roosevelt 19, contested 127, looked very different. That is the whole story of the larger number of Southern contests that were started early in the game. It was never expected that they would be taken very seriously."

There it is, the confession of fakery to create a public impression. The seventy-four genuine contests had some merit. After reading the stories sent out by the newspaper men who heard the arguments before the committee, and listening to the debate in the Chicago convention, only the Texas case seemed doubtful. Roosevelt's claim to twenty-six delegates from Texas rested upon the case prepared by Cecil Lyon, the national committeeman, who bestrides what there is of the Republican party in that state like a Colossus His machine has been the most arbitrary and domineering in the country. Except four or five, every one of the 2,800 federal officeholders in the state was appointed upon his recommendation, and the great majority of them by Roosevelt. In 99 of the 245 counties in Texas the total Republican vote is about 2,000; there were no Republican voters at all in fourteen counties. In none of these 99 counties was there a Republican organization, and in none had a primary or a convention been held. Yet they were supposed to be represented in the state convention by proxies secured from federal officeholders which Colonel Lyon voted. The national and credential committees at Chicago held these proxies to be illegal and the eight delegates at large were awarded to President Taft, as he had a substantial majority in the state convention of delegates legitimately elected. For reasons as valid he received the award in the nine congress districts.

Of the remainder the case of the contest for the four delegates-at-large from Indiana is a fair sample. That case hinged on the Marion county primary, in which Indianapolis is situated. In that city Mr. Taft polled 6,000 votes and Roosevelt 1400. Fraud and repeating were charged in the latter's behalf, but the evidence was so general and flimsy that even the Colonel's lieutenants, Senator Borah and Frank B. Kellog, agreed that the title of the Taft delegates was unimpeachable and the vote in the committee was unanimous.

The famous contest in Washington involved the question whether the Taft delegates appointed by the county committee in King county were entitled to seats in the state convention. The Roosevelt delegates were elected later at a primary arbitrarily and illegally called, after the city council had redistricted Seattle, adding 131 new precincts. Both the Taft and LaFollette voters refused to take part in this primary and 6,000 votes out of the normal Republican total of 70,000 were polled for the Roosevelt candidates. The King county delegates gave Mr. Taft a majority in the state convention and Washington's fourteen delegates were awarded to the president at Chicago.

Further details are not essential. The decisions of the national committee were made by eminent Republican leaders, many of whom attained their positions by following the Roosevelt program in 1908, and the majority of the national committee was composed of Republicans honored and trusted by the party in district, state and nation. They were simply too big to be browbeaten or badgered into permitting the theft of the convention by a party beneficiary then pretending to be a Republican, but who has since proven his insincerity by bolting, and seeks to hide his own disloyalty by crying fraud and theft. President Taft was nominated as fairly and honorably as Lincoln or Garfield, or Harrison, or Roosevelt himself in 1904. There was no theft, nothing to be apologized for, nothing to distress anyone, save that a great, national Republican gathering seemed to contain so many devotees of a supposed Republican leader, who never cared a rap for the party except as he could use it for personal ends, and deserted the party the moment it was not subservient to his will.

We are in hearty sympathy with Put Sandle's purpose of putting the fence corners on the farms to producing, and can introduce the amiable secretary to Marion county farmers who have not only garnered in and put to work the fence corners, but have included five to eight feet of the highway besides. It is the cheapest way we know of to acquire acreage, and nobody seems to kick about it.

We are in receipt of a bulky lot of printed matter, conveying the suspected intelligence that the Tariff Reform League will support the Democratic party in this campaign. What this luminary of happiness and prosperity wishes to know is who is going to support the country after the tariff dam is dynamited.

The first time you meet Mr. James M. Cox, Democratic candidate for governor, ask him under what process of reasoning he justifies lending the use of his congressional frank for the sending through the mails, free of postage, Herbert Bigelow's defense of the Con. Con. Mr. Cox knows that this is a perversion of his franking privileges, and it costs Uncle Sam real money to do Mr. Bigelow's lobbying for the iniquitous schemes he is trying to put over on the people of Ohio.

How Republicans Can Win.

The outcome of the national campaign depends on the spirit with which the Republican party goes into it, meets its requirements and goes through it. The Republican party can win if the Republicans have the will.

The Republican party has on its side history, American institutions and the prosperity they assure, the Constitution and the liberties it safeguards. law and order and their necessity to every man. It has these to fight for.

Against the Republican party are the chronic discontents and inciters of discontent—the sort of men who howled for Greenbackism and for Free Silverism in the past and who are howling for Socialism now—the reckless demagogues who care nothing for the public welfare in their greed for power and money—the sort of men who have brought disaster to the country and poverty to its people whenever permitted to rule.

For the Republican party is the enormous latent strength of common sense American patriotism—the strength that always has saved the Republic and the liberties and property rights of its people in that past and will do so again—later on, if not now. The Republican party's business and duty is to see to it that this strength is aroused—aroused, organized and put forth now.

To accomplih this task the Republican party must fight with confidence, with aggressiveness and with defiance. And to do that—to preach afresh the old gospel of American freedom, American prosperity, the American opportunity and American law and order in every corner of the land—the Republican party must have money.

Speakers must travel, hall owners must be paid. Printers demand wages, and the postoffice listens only to the sound of hard cash. The Republican party needs a campaign fund of $2,500,000. And if the Republican party goes after it in the proper spirit it will get all the money it needs.

The enemies of the Republican party threaten every man in the nation who owns property. The opposition to the Republican party is an opposition to private rights in property.

All the Republican party has to do is to stand on that fact, proclaim it and make it clear. The instinct of self-preservation will be the rest. Chicago Inter-Ocean.

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$17.50 & $15 Suits---$11.98

Light and Medium shades—Worsteds, Cassimeres, Homespuns—all of this season's make.

The popular Two-Button Sack—the Nobby Belted Norfolk—the conservative Three-Button—are all included.

Every suit in the lot is of high grade make and perfect in every detail.

"Knox" Fall Hat Opening—Saturday.

PROSPECT TEAM WINS GAME AT PERRYSVILLE

Eight Automobiles Carry the Prospect Boosters.

Prospect, O., Aug. 22—[Special].—The Prospect ball team went to Perrysville, Thursday, and a very interesting game was played with the latter team, the score standing two to six in favor of the Prospect team. Eight automobiles filled with boosters for Prospect accompanied the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Stockwell, of Worthington, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Mary Moar, Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Freeman entertained, Tuesday, Mrs. F. J. Halliday and Mrs. J. H. Fitzwater, of Delaware.

Albert Johnson and son, Virgil, Frank Sweeney and F. H. Sauer, were in Columbus, Tuesday.

Harry and Merle Gast returned, Wednesday, from an extended stay with relatives at Alto, Georgia.

Mrs. Fred Mayfield and daughter, Ruth, of Detroit, are the guests of Mrs. S. A. Almindinger and other relatives.

Bert Fisher has accepted the position at the electric light plant, recently vacated by Luther Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lust, of Marion, spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barnhart entertained her nephews, J. A. Simpson, of Salamanca, New York; Ray Simpson, of Canton, and Harlan Simpson, of Marion, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. C. Wottring moved her household goods to Marion, Friday, where she expects to reside.

The members of the Reformed Sunday-school enjoyed a picnic in B. K. Herbster's woods, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Abel and daughter, Dorothy, of Marion, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Schelling, Sunday.

Miss Clara Cope spent the past week with relatives in Lima, the guest of her cousin, Charles Klein. Mr. Klein was employed as engineer on a passenger train for the C. H. & D., over twenty-five years and was killed in a wreck near Troy, Sunday evening. He had frequently visited relatives here.

Rev. J. H. Moore, of Pennsylvania, a former pastor of the local Baptist church, was the guest of friends the past week

Miss Clementia Dennison, of Marion, visited her niece, Miss Mary Landis the past week.

Mrs. Will Fritch, of near Warren, visted her sister, Miss Candace Gast, and other relatives the past week.

Mrs. W. W. Kyle and son, Lawrence, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Will Money, near Richwood.

The members of the embroidery club entertained their husbands at a picnic supper in the lawn at the home of Mrs. C. P. Herr, of Main street, Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Ivo and Sharma Earick, Freda Gast, Margaret Wolfley, Louise Wottring, Mary Bell and Florence Francis, of Marion, composed a party that spent the week camping on the banks of the Scioto.

Mrs. Mary Gastinger and Mrs. Sarah Gould, of Central College, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Dill, Thursday.

Mrs. Michael Rider visited the past week with relatives in Toledo.

The members of the Missionary society of the M. E. church held a delightful picnic in Gast's park, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Nemeyer and son, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mrs. Emma Rutter,

Mr and Mrs. Charles Cook, of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Wilts Stout, of Stoutsville, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davids, of Green Camp; Dr. and Mrs. B. D. Osborn and son, Arthur, of Waldo; Mr. and Mrs. Guy Langstaff and daughters, of Richwood; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gast were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gast, Sunday.

The Maize family reunion was held in Gast's park, Tuesday. About sixty relatives enjoyed the picnic dinner. In the afternoon the following officers were elected: William Maize, of Columbus, president; Luther Uncapher, of Marion, vice president; Miss Georgia Maize, of Columbus, secretary; Newton Mounts, treasurer.

SOME VILLAGE NOTES GATHERED AT AGOS

Little Happenings During Week Some Interest.

Agosta, O., Aug. 22.—[Speci —Mr. and Mrs. James Baker children, of Green Camp, guests of Mrs. Aley Baker, Satu evening.

Mrs. E. L. Schultz and daugh Grace and Mrs. R. E. Pretty left, Monday, for Ashtabula fo visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wil Bain and family.

Misses Edna Dutton and F. Miller are attending the teach institute at Marion.

Miss Mary A. Cone and Mrs G. Miller were Marion callers, M day.

A daughter was born to Mr. Mrs Otis Black, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Nesb spent a few days last week at Blanchard the guests of t daughter, Mrs. Arthur Lippinc

Mrs. A. O Parr, of Marion, s Thursday with her mother, Amanda Cooper.

Mrs. Laura Gray, of Louisv Kentucky, was a guest at the W Dutton home from Thursday Saturday.

Harvey Winfield of Galion, calling on friends here, Saturd

Mrs. A. J. Hand and son, Lemoyne, of Marion, were callin friends here, Tuesday.

Mrs Margaret Stockwell is v ing at Zanesfield, the guest of daughter, Mrs. T' J. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. A C. Johnston s from Wednesday until Friday Marion, guests of their daug Mrs. C. B Hudson.

Mrs Laura Patterson and da ter, Margerite Emily, of Clevel were the guest of Mr. and Mrs E. Cleveland a few days last we

Miss Mae Shuen, of Clevelan the guest of her sister, Mrs. Butler, of south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Blosier, Bucyrus, spent Monday and Tue here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. I Blosser,.

Miss Georgia Smith, of Del is spending the week with cousin, Miss Mae H. Young

Richard Thomason, of Thomas, spent the week end his parents here.

Miss Kate Maas, of Marion, i guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles liams.

MARTEL BRIEFLETS OF THE PAST W

How the People of the Village Passing the Time.

Martel, O., Aug. 22.—[Spe —Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mol and son, Cecil, of Marion, are ing Mr. and Mrs A. F. Garver.

Mrs. Nettie Marquet and were entertained last week by Cassie Jackson at Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wissinger and returned to their home in Tenne after an extended visit with the ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L Spiece. They were accompa home by Miss Ilo Bending, wh pects to spend the winter with t

Mrs. George Sharrock was guest of relatives at Marion S day and Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Vanatta, of Mt. Gi was entertained by relatives friends here last week.

Clarence Rutherford, of N was the guest of relatives Sunday.

Miss Bliss Hipsher, of Caled visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. W Sunday.

Miss Sadie Thew, of Caledo was the guest of friends here day.

Mrs. Alcade Williams was a ion visitor, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. F. Sharrock and chil of Marion, are the guests of Mr. Mrs. George Sharrock this wee

Miss Lola Lindsey returned h Saturday, after an extended with her sister, Mrs. Clara G gher, of Kenton.

Mrs. J. E. Bending and Miss Pace were Galion visitors, Wed day.

Mrs. J. E. Cyphers, of Wadsw is the guest of relatives here week.

So many streets of Berlin paved with asphalt and woo blocks that it has been found ne sary to fit the horses with "ro shoes to prevent slipping.

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BUT FEW SURVIVORS ATTEND THE REUNION

A Gathering of Veterans at Magnetic Springs Recently.

CHURCH SOCIETY AT THE HANCOCK HOME

An Interesting Program Is Rendered by the Members—Mrs. F. E. Wright, of Westerville, Is Tendered a Number of Pleasant Little Social Courtesies.

Richwood, O., Aug. 19.—[Special]—The annual reunion of I company, eighty-second regiment, O. V. V. I., was held, Thursday, at Magnetic Springs, and six survivors of the company were in attendance, as follows. George B. Alexander, of Richwood; Arthur Freshwater, Jerome Slough, Jacob Edelblute, of Delaware county; Jacob Clark, of Sandusky; Abel Linsley, of Magnetic Springs W. S. Burgoon, of Richwood, is also a survivor of the eighty-second regiment, and he and his wife attended the reunion. The guests of the veterans were Mrs. Eli Sloop, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Curry and children, Mrs. B. F. Sloop, Mrs. Clinton Sloop, Misses Mary and Martha Sloop, all of Richmond. A fine picnic dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour and the day was very pleasantly spent at the resort.

Mrs Willis Hancock and Mrs. Oscar Park were hostess to the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the First Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon, at the former's home, west of Richwood. A very interesting program was rendered, with Mrs. J. E. Langstag acting as leader. At the conclusion of the business session a social hour was enjoyed and the hostess served a fine luncheon. Mrs. George Hancock was the only guest of the society

Mrs Mary Browning and children, Louise and Robert, who spent several days with relatives in Richwood, left, Thursday for Marion, for a brief visit with Charles F. Smith and family, before returning to their home in Columbus. They were accompanied to Marion by Mrs. Louis Tillinnery and Mrs. O. T. Boggs.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Miller and children and Mr. and Mrs G. J. Baldwin attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Burnside, which was held Wednesday afternoon, from Grace chapel, west of Essex. The deceased was past ninety-two years old

Mrs F. E. Wright, of Westerville, who, during the past several days, has been visiting at Richwood, her former home, has had a number of pleasant little social affairs planned in her honor, Wednesday evening Mrs Benjamin Hodge entertained at a six-o'clock dinner in her honor, at her home on north Franklin street, and Thursday evening a small company of friends were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCombs, of Wood street, Mrs. Wright being the honor guest.

Gary Meddles and William Goff attended the annual reunion of the 121st regiment, O. V. V. I., at Sunbury, Thursday.

Mrs F. A. Martin and daughter, Mae, entertained the Ladies' Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday afternoon, at their home on west Bomford street An interesting program was rendered, followed by a social hour and the hostesses served a luncheon. Miss Sarah Schoonmaker, of Cincinnati, was an out of town guest.

W T Moore spent a few days in Ashland, during the past week.

Misses Anna and Margaret Collier, of Wadsworth, have been the guests of their grandfather, V F. Collier, and other relatives, during the past week

Miss Stella Fisher, of Marion, spent the past few days as the guest of Miss Myrtle Oliver.

Mrs Charles Schmeiyer, of Colorado Springs, Colorado, has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs W H. McKinnon, during the past week

Mrs Lewis Bingham, of Columbus, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Magdalene Scharf, during the past week

Mr and Mrs. F. H. Warren, of East Liverpool, spent a few days with F L Winter and family, during the past week. Mr. Warren was employed as superintendent of the Richwood public schools, eleven years ago

L W Baker, of Cleveland, spent the past week visiting at the home of his brother, C W. Baker, and family

Miss Margaret Dean, of Fredericktown, has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Leiah Clark, north of Richwood, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs C. J. Fifer, daughters Jessie and Olive, and son, Audley, motored to Russell Point, on the Lewistown reservoir, Thursday, for a few days' outing.

Mrs C G Cameron and daughter, Lucille, of Indianapolis, have been visiting Dr Cameron's father, W. D. Cameron, during the past week.

Dr and Mrs T. F. Wurtsbaugh entertained the brothers and sisters of Mrs Wurtsbaugh, Wednesday, at their home on south Franklin street, the reunion proving a most delightful affair Their guests were Dr. and Mrs D F Spicer and daughter, Pauline, of Booneville, Missouri. Mr and Mrs. H. V Spicer and daughters, Alice and Clara, of Delaware; Mr and Mrs. O E McAllister and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, and Joseph Spicer, who reside west of Richwood

Rev. and Mrs. Albert Gullege left, Thursday morning, for Belmont county, where they will spend several days with relatives. They will also visit in West Virginia before returning to Richwood. Rev. Gullege is enjoying a vacation of three weeks from his pastoral duties in the church of Christ.

Arthur Flesher went to Newark, Wednesday, to attend the annual reunion of the Haines family, which was held there, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Martin motored to Sunbury, Thursday, to attend the annual reunion of the Walker family. They also visited relatives at Mt. Vernon before returning home.

William Thornhill and daughters, Harriet Ellen and Margaret, left, Thursday, for Montclair, Colorado, to join Mrs. Thornhill, who has been in that city for some time. The family will make its home in Colorado for the present.

Mrs. William Fankhauser and children, Albert and Bertha, of Elkhart, Indiana, arrived in Richwood, Friday, to spend several days with Mrs. Fankhauser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stubert.

Samuel Klein, of Barberton, and Leo Klein, of Cleveland, have been the guests of A. I. Glick and family, of east Blagrove street, during the past several days.

The Gardener family held its annual reunion, Thursday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Vanatta, three miles east of Broadway. Eighty-two members of the family were present and the day was most enjoyably spent. A picnic dinner was spread on tables in the pretty Vanatta grove, at the noon hour, and the afternoon was spent socially. Music was furnished by Mrs. S. J. Bown, of Richwood, and others of the company contributed toward an informal program of songs and recitations. The oldest member of the family present was Mrs. Bown's mother, Mrs. John Coen, aged seventy years. Four sisters were present, Mrs. Coen, Mrs Mary Rinehart and Mrs. Martha Hosack, of Broadway, and Mrs. Caroline Trickey, of Dayton. The reunion next year will be held at the home of Albert Gardener, in Peoria, in October.

Mrs. James Pinney and Miss Ivadell Warren, of Ostrander, have been the guests of Mrs. D. F. Ackerman, since Friday.

Miss Martha Tracy, of Zanesville, and Miss Alice Blair, of Marion, have been the guests of their cousin, Miss Letha Tracy, during the past week.

Miss Roxie Snyder and her brother, Benjamin, went to Troy Sunday, to visit their aunt, Mrs. Harry Griffith. Miss Snyder returned home today, Tuesday, and her brother remained in Troy for a visit of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Hopkins and son, of Mechanicsburg, motored to Richwood, Saturday, and spent the day with Mr and Mrs. Joseph Shipley.

Mrs. John A. Phipps was hostess to the birthday club, Friday afternoon, at her beautiful country home, five miles west of Richwood. All of the club members, with the exception of one, were present at the meeting, and there were eight invited guests, the following being from a distance: Mrs. George T. Warren ,of Kingman, Arizona; Mrs R. C. Taylor, of Brawley, California; Mrs. James Cobb, of Corinth, Kentucky; Miss Mollie Treece, of Marion. The hours were spent socially and very enjoyably, several of the guests rendering vocal and piano solos for the entertainment of the company and one of the features of the affair was the luncheon served by the hostess The next meeting of the club will be held in September, when Miss Mollie Treece, of Marion, will be the hostess.

Rev. Leon Arpe and his sister Miss Sirouhel T. Arpe, of Nelsonville, arrived in Richwood, Saturday, for a visit of several days with Joseph Shipley and family and other friends.

John A. Shipley, Miss Anna Shipley and Miss Helen McAllister spent Thursday at Cedar Point, accompanying the La Rue Knights of Pythias on their excursion.

Seventy-five of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Fields and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Kirk were very delightfully entertained, Friday evening, at the Field's home, just east of Richwood, in honor of the tenth wedding anniversary of the former couple and of the ninth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Kirk. Mr. and Mrs. Fields were united in marriage by Rev. N. Y. Matthews, pastor of the local Baptist church, ten years ago, and they have always lived here. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk were married in Columbus, by Rev. Miller, and their married life has been spent here. The evening proved very enjoyable to the large company, Rev. W. M Narjon singing several solos and other guests contributing toward an informal program. Mrs. Fields and Mrs Kirk wore their wedding dresses, which attracted considerable attention. Both couples received a number of pretty and useful gifts.

A number of the members of the African Baptist church attended the Flatwoods picnic, held near West Mansfield, Thursday. The picnic was largely attended by colored people of Union and adjoining counties and is held annually.

Mrs. Caroline Humbird is the largest individual personal property taxpayer in St Paul She will pay taxes next spring on $291,750 This may be compared with J J. Hill's personal property assessment of $149,500, and that of Frederick Weyerhaesuser, $148,600.

To salt almonds, first blanch and dry in the oven to a golden brown. Take the white of an egg and twice as much flour and beat well. Stir in the almonds and coat well, drain and throw into salt, coating all over. Soft, dry and bottle.

COMPANY PLANS TO ERECT SEVERAL HOUSES

Will Build Ten or Twenty Modern Homes for Workmen.

THE MARION-OSGOOD PEOPLE'S PROJECT

Not a Real Estate Enterprise, but Simply the Result of Desire To Have Men in Comfortable Homes Near the Shops—Plans To Enlarge Shops in 1913.

Saturday night, in the office of the Marion-Osgood company on east Center street, a meeting between the officials and employes was held to discuss the tentative plans for erecting ten or twenty modern houses for the corporation's workmen in the Marion-Osgood addition, south of the city. John Harruff, one of the company's carpenter-foremen, has the building plans in charge.

The company has 120 acres platted In addition to this, it has a factory site of forty acres Altogether there are 372 lots, on which the company expects to build houses for its employes as rapidly as demanded.

"It's no real estate proposition with us," declared A. E. Cheney, president of the company, Monday. "We want our workmen to have nice homes near our factory, and to be satisfied. That is all we care about. The site is an ideal one, as you perhaps know."

None of the lots is smaller than fifty by 150 feet in dimensions and many of them are considerably larger.

Asked if his company expected to do any additional factory building this fall, Mr. Cheney said that he did not think so, but added that it was planned greatly to enlarge the plant, probably in 1913.

"We are building now a six-yard shovel to be used on the Pacific coast. A similar shovel is to be shipped to Pennsylvania next week and still another will be shipped to New York about the middle of September. We are now running night and day, and would like to use more men if we could. We are now employing about 100 men. We've got our first complaint to receive yet."

AN UNUSUAL FEATURE OF MORNING SERVICE

Father and Seven Sons Sing at the Calvary Church.

An unusual feature of the morning services at the Calvary Evangelical church, Sunday, was the appearance of the Harruff brothers octet, composed of the father, Levi Harruff, and his seven sons, John, Perry, Frank, Elmer, Will, George and Simon The octet is made up as follows.

John and Elmer, first tenors, Perry and the father, Levi, second tenors, Frank and Simon, baritones, and Will and George, bassos.

The octet furnished a number before the service and after, and the music was much appreciated by the audience. The voices of the Harruffs harmonize fine.

John and Perry have just returned to Marion after being in Seattle, three years All of the others reside in Marion, with the exception of Frank, who lives just east of the city. The Harruffs have been singing together for some time. They sing unaccompanied.

SHERMAN BAKER IS TUBERCULOSIS VICTIM

Death Comes to Marion Man in Nebraska.

Sherman Baker, aged forty-four years, died of tuberculosis of the kidneys and complications at the home of his sister, Mrs. Harry Curtis, in Lincoln, Nebraska, Sunday. He went to Nebraska for the benefit of his health nine weeks ago.

The deceased is survived by his widow, who was formerly Miss Clara Johnson, and two sons, Sherman Adam, aged ten years, and Harry Edward, aged six years.

The remains were brought to Marion for interment.

CHOLERA INFANTUM CAUSE OF DEATH

Infant Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith Dies.

Rachel Mae, infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Clarence W. Smith, of No. 438 south Grand avenue, died of cholera infantum, Saturday night at 9:15 o'clock after a week's illness. If the babe had lived until Wednesday she would have been two years old.

The funeral services were held at the late residence, Monday morning at 10 o'clock, Dr. C. R. Havinghurst officiating. Interment was made in the Marion cemetery.

DR. HENRY S. GREEN DIES AT CARDINGTON

The Doctor Is Quite Well Known in Marion.

Dr. Henry Sanford Green, aged seventy years, died at his home at Cardington, Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. He is survived by a widow.

The deceased was born at Norton, Februrary 25, 1842, and was very well known in Marion county

The funeral was held at the Methodist Protestant church at Norton Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the services were in charge of Marion Commandery, No. 36, Knights Templars.

ROOSEVELT BLUFFER HAS BLUFF CALLED

A Little Betting Incident at the Railroad Dining Hall.

There was a bit of early campaign bluffing, and calling, at the C. and E. Eating-house, Thursday. Some Marionites, traveling men, and railroaders were dining, not en party, but in the freedom of converse incidental to such dining, when M J. Bishop, a travelling salesman from Chicago, introduced the subject of Julius Rosenwald and his birthday benefactions, which was tolerated, then magnified Rosenwald's friendship for Roosevelt, which is interesting only because Democratic papers have been aiming to create prejudice by telling of his friendship for Taft. There was method in Bishop's presumption. He had butted in with a political purpose, and the unfolding soon revealed it. He was for Roosevelt and wanted it known. So were all traveling men for Bishop knew. But there was another traveling man in the party, and he challenged, then came Bishop's campaign bluff. He flashed a roll, skimmed off three $100 bills and offered to wager one or all that Roosevelt would have more votes in the November election than President Taft. That was too much. C T. Moriarity, a Mansfield road salesman, who is a Taft admirer and a fine judge of a good business proposition, quickly accepted, details to be completed at the end of the meal. In the big lunch room, filled with interested spectators, whose attention was attracted by Bishop's bull mooosing, the steps were taken to post the bet, when Bishop insisted on restating the terms, and made the flattest flunk ever related of cheeky political braggart He wasn't betting at all that Roooosevelt would have more votes than Taft, he was betting that Taft wouldn't be elected. The whole dining party gave Bishop a grunt of disappointment and disgust. Frank E. Clark, of Cleveland, told him he was a bluffer and a prevaricator. Moriarity intimated, in the enjoyment of his victory, that Bishop had butted in where he was unwelcome, because a braggart like his chief, and squealed when called, and the crowd approved and applauded.

Bishop had his bundle of bluffing bills in his jeans when he took his train, but the next time he pulls them he will search his crowd to make sure that C. T. Moriarity is not there.

THE BARNTHOUSE AUTO COLLIDES WITH BICYCLE

Young Charles Boes Is Injured in Accident.

Charles Boes, residing at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Boes, on west Johnson street, collided with the J. P. Barnthouse automobile while riding his bicycle, Friday afternoon, about 4:15 o'clock, says the Upper Sandusky Chief. The accident occurred at the Rieser corner, intersection of Johnson street and Sandusky avenue.

The young man on the bicycle had just turned the corner going west when he struck the automobile, which was being driven by Ray Barnthouse The hood of the machine was dented and the left front lamp broken. The bicycle was considerably damaged and young Boes was thrown upon the hood of the machine. He suffered a number of body bruises, and was attended by Dr Fredrick Kenan. The automobile was running slow, or the accident would have resulted more seriously.

MISS GLENN MOUSER GIVEN APPOINTMENT

Will Go to Hawaiian Islands as a Teacher.

The friends here of Miss Glenn Mouser will learn with pleasure of her appointment as supervisor of public kindergarten work at Hilo, Hawaiian islands She will sail from San Francisco, August 28, and will assume her new duties about September 1.

Miss Mouser is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs John B Mouser, of Mt. Vernon avenue, and is a graduate of the Marion High school of the class of 1905. Two years ago, she went West with her parents and immediately took up a course of kindergarten training at Berkeley, California, under Miss Barnard, a pupil of Kate Douglas Wiggen, the authoress, graduating two months ago. She is well fitted for the new position she is about to assume and her success is assured.

MRS. J. H. HARTLEY DIES MONDAY AFTERNOON

Is Ill Several Weeks of Softening of the Brain.

Mrs. Clara Hartley, wife of J. H. Hartley, aged sixty years, died at her home on Cuyahoga street Monday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock after an illness of several weeks of softening of the brain and complications. Mrs. Hartley was operated on last fall. She was twice married. Her first husband, John Johnston, died about four years ago. Aside from her present husband, two sons and two daughters survive. They are Mrs. James Bounser, of Bennett streets; Mrs David Streets, residing in the country; William Johnston, residing in Indiana, and Henry Johnston, of Bennett street.

Bonds Are Awarded.

Monday, the Sharrock five per cent. county road bonds, amounting to $11,000, were awarded to the City National bank, at Marion, at its premium bid of $10 and accrued interest. The local bank was the only bidder.

CERTIFICATES ARE SENT MARION COUNTY LADS

Some of the Sights Which Will Be Shown the Boys.

BUT FOUR HOURS' WORK EACH DAY REQUIRED

Must Assist in Keeping Their Camp in Order, Do Messenger Service and Assist in the Livestock Rings. How the Lads Must Be Equipped for Service.

Monday, official certificates entitling two Marion county lads to free trips to the Ohio state fair in Columbus, August 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31, were mailed to Joseph Dickerson and Lorin R. Freeman. They were named by a committee at the courthouse, Saturday, as stated in Saturday's Star.

The boys will go to the state fairground this Saturday and report, with their certificates, at once to Secretary A. P. Sandles. They will be required to do four hours work each day, the rest of the day being devoted to visiting places of interest on the fairground, seeing Columbus and in attending lectures.

The work that will be assigned is to consist of keeping their camp in order at the fairground, messenger service for the Ohio National guard officers, who will have charge, and assisting in the livestock rings.

One of the features of the work of sight-seeing and instruction will be the visit to the Ohio penitentiary, next Sunday, when the boys from all over the state will attend the prison chapel services. After the services they will visit every part of the big prison, including the woman's department and the annex. The dread electric chair is in the annex and will be shown to the boys. The same evening it is planned that Governor Judson Harmon and others will address the lads at their camp.

Secretary Sandles urges the boys to bring a pair of overalls, towels and soap. No profanity or dissipation will be permitted. The state will pay all of the expenses.

DENZER REUNION HELD NEAR WALDO

A Pleasing Program Enjoyed by Company.

Waldo, O., Aug 19.—[Special.]—The fifth annual Denzer reunion was held, Saturday, at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Denzer, of Marion, two miles east of Waldo. A program of recitations and speeches by Rev. Mr. Kettle, of this place, and Rev. John Hickman, of Mt Gilead, was rendered. A dinner was served on the lawn to sixty-six people. The following officers were elected:

William Denzer, of Marion, president; H. M. Gates, of Cardington, vice president; Mrs. H. M. Gates, secretary, and Miss Grace Denzer, of Cardington, treasurer. The out-of-town guests were:

Mrs Amelia Roat, of Caledonia; Miss Imo Schoor and Orie Schorr, of Delaware; Rev. and Mrs. John Hickman, Mrs. Henry Schultz, Mrs William Loren and her three daughters, and Miss Ruth Baughm, of Mt Gilead, and Miss Lou Watson, of Mattoon, Illinois.

The next reunion will be held the third Saturday in August, 1913, at the Albert Denzer home, near this place.

A FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN INDIANA

Mrs. Christopher Gabler Passes Away Sunday.

Waldo, O., Aug. 19.—[Special]—Mrs. Christopher Gabler, of Aurora, Indiana, died at her home Sunday morning, of old age. She lived on the old Gabler homestead near here nearly all of her married life, moving to Aurora a few years ago She was eighty-four years of age She is survived by four children, William Gabler, and Mrs Henry Zeig, of Marion, Mrs. Amos Terrell, of Marysville, and Aid Gabler, of Tennessee.

The body will be brought here Tuesday, and the funeral services will be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Reformed church, Rev. J. Gretcher officiating, after which interment will be made in the Waldo cemetery. The deceased was a good Christian woman, and was respected by all.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

The following unclaimed mail remains uncalled for at the local postoffice:

Men—Paul Askey, Evart Bailey, care of F. Rogers, A R. Cardona, E. H. Conningham, Hike Curren, J. A. Garver, Frank W. Hubbard, Sterlie Jeffers, W. C Kattenback, Frank Marshman, care of F. E Smythe, Ralph Mailberger, Archie McSimin, C. M. McClung, Antonio Maniace, R. A. Nelson, W. H. Perry, H. E. Stuart, Pervonia Snyder, Ray Trimmer, Reed Wood, Henry Butler.

Women—Mrs Mary Barett, Leona Davis, Bula Danner, Mrs Emma Fraley, Mrs. Edward Hearst, Miss Kocher, No. 780 Central avenue; Edna E. Lowe, Mrs. Ross Pinder, Mrs. Mary Ruth, Miss Marion C. Roberts, Mrs. John M. Smith, Ruth Shannon, Mrs. Charles Townent, Pansy Williams.

Foreign—Mrs. Walden, care of Dana Walden company; Vaglia Antonia, Busano Nicola, George Meinolas, Sotirion Nestazoo.

Notice—When calling say that mail was advertised.

M. B. Dickerson, P. M.

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BARGAINS—Is the best way we can describe them, for if you can find your fit, in a pattern that pleases you ---we'll make a Bargain Price well worth your while.

We are intent upon closing out every summer suit---clearing stocks completely before introducing the new Fall styles.

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Ladies' White Nubuck Pumps, $3 & $3.50 grades $2.00
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Ladies' Velvet Colonials, $4.00 grades . . . $2.50
Ladies' White Canvas Strap Slippers, $2.00 grade $1.25

STARR SHOE STORE
ON THE BUSY CORNER
CENTER AND PROSPECT

LITTLE GEORGE CAMP DROWNED IN LAKE

Lad Falls into McKinley Park Lake While Fishing.

TWO SMALL SISTERS WITNESS ACCIDENT

Girls Run Home and Tell Their Mother—J. W. Thew Goes to the Rescue and Recovers the Body After It Is in the Water Between Ten and Fifteen Minutes.

George Camp, aged seven years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Camp, of Carner avenue, lost his life by drowning in McKinley lake about 11:30 o'clock Tuesday. The accident occurred in sight of the two small sisters of the victim, aged four and two years, who were helpless to give their brother any assistance in response to his calls for help

The three children had started for the park to get some apples and stopped at the lake where the boy was fishing from the dam. His two sisters were watching him from a nearby position when he lost his balance and fell into the water. At the place where the boy fell in, the water is about five feet deep. The four-year-old sister ran home and informed her mother that her brother had fallen into the lake and was unable to get out.

The mother ran towards the lake and J. W. Thew, who lives nearby, went to the rescue. He waded in the water and found the body at the bottom After raising it the boy was carried to the home of Roy Jacoby, just across the street from the lake, and Drs. C. T. Wiant and H. L. Uhler were summoned. They worked with the little fellow over an hour in the hope that he might be saved. Although every means was resorted to, the boy never showed a sign of life. As near as could be learned he was in the water between ten and fifteen minutes. The mother of the boy was prostrated by the unfortunate accident and required medical attention.

Residents of the vicinity have feared an accident of this kind owing to the water being so deep and so many children playing and fishing around the lake. A movement is now on foot to have the deep hole filled with a view to making the conditions safer.

If the sink drain chances to get choked don't send for the plumber at once, but pour into the sink one-fourth pound copperas dissolved in two quarts of boiling water.

A LEGLESS BOY IS QUITE AN ATHLETE.

Philadelphia, Aug. 20.—Although he is legless, Tyson Delwer, aged fourteen, has become an expert swimmer and wrestler.

LOCAL RECORD OF MAN WANTED FOR DESERTION

Is Tried Here for the Murder of Jerome Hochstetter.

JURORS DISAGREE AND INDICTMENT IS NOLLED

Harry C. Hauck Enlists in Regular Army a Year After He Is Tried Here—The Trial Costs Marion County a Big Sum—Man Deserts Army July 22.

Harry C. Hauck, twenty-four years old and married, sought by the federal authorities for desertion from the regular army, joined the army a year after he had been tried in this city for the murder of Jerome Hochstetter, a policeman.

The night of July 18, 1910, Ray Hoffhines, a Marion Steam Shovel company workman, claimed to have been held up and robbed in West Marion. Officer Hochstetter was chasing the supposed thugs in the Erie railroad yards, when he was shot and mortally wounded.

Later Hauck was arrested and indicted for the crime. At his trial in December, 1910, his wife and other relatives swore that he was at home the night of the murder. The trial developed that Hochstetter had been a dry detective.

After remaining out all night, the morning of December 24, 1910, the jury reported that it was unable to reach a verdict. The jurors stood five for acquittal and seven for conviction.

The arrest and consequent trial of Hauck cost Marion county taxpayers, according to County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter's figures, nearly $1,500. Attorneys L. E. Myers and W. P. Moloney received $250 for defending Hauck and former Prosecuting Attorney Fred E. Guthery was allowed the same sum for assisting Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice.

The indictment against Hauck was nolle prossed, January 28, 1911, and he joined the United States army the following December, enlisting at Newark, his former home. He deserted from the tenth company, coast artillery corps, stationed at Fort Winfield Scott, California, July 22, last, as stated in the Star Saturday.

JOY RIDE ENDS DISASTROUSLY

Four Persons Are Injured in Collision, Two of Them Fatally.

New York, Aug. 20.—A joy ride, which started at midnight in Far Rockaway, ended disastrously early today, when the automobile was demolished in a collision with a truck and four persons were injured, two of them fatally.

The injured are: Dorothy Smith, of the Bronx; Celia Welstead, of Far Rockaway.

Dora Smith, Inwood, Long Island; broken back, will die, and Luke Kelloran, Far Rockaway, internal injuries, will die.

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THE TAX SETTLEMENT COMPLETED SATURDAY

Books Show Net Tax Collection of $626,214.20.

VERY SLIGHT DIFFERENCE IN BOOKS OF OFFICERS

Minor Errors Creep into the Tax Books and Sometimes Total Considerable—This Year They Amount to but $4.78—Matter of Collecting the Delinquent Taxes.

Saturday County Auditor Spaulding and County Treasurer Robert S. Domabugh completed their final tax settlement, showing a net tax collection of $626,214.20, which will now be distributed by the auditor to the thirty-two taxing districts and numerous funds.

Ordinarily if the figures of the auditor and treasurer come within $100 of being the same, the officials consider themselves fortunate. This time, however, the only difference between their figures is that the treasurer's books show $4.78 more than those of the auditor.

In making the tax settlements scores of little errors made in various ways in the tax collection creep in and some times it takes years to find the source of an error, but in the course of time all such errors come to light. The fact that the difference between the books of the auditor and treasurer are so slight give both of those officials just cause for patting themselves on the back.

Saturday, the treasurer finished checking up and turned over the last of the books to the auditor. The treasurer's books showed a December tax collection of $329,317.65 and a June collection of $310,715.20. The latter includes delinquent personal taxes amounting to $2,499.11 collected yearly and placed in the August settlement.

Delinquent Taxes.

Heretofore, or since 1905, when the old fee system was abolished, the delinquent personal tax was collected by former County Auditor P. F. Foreman, whose fee on this year's collection would have been $749.82. The treasurer, who collected the delinquent taxes this year, did not collect as much as ordinarily because of the new appraisement and the confusion resulting from the inauguration of the new one per cent. law. The auditor's books were necessarily delayed in being turned over to the treasurer, who did not have time to send out notices a second time to all personal property delinquents. Many of these delinquents had moved out of the city and could not be located.

The amount of delinquent personal taxes collected last year by Tax Collector Foreman was $3,110 and his commission amounted to $932.77. At the beginning of the year the county commissioners declined to employ him, and said the treasurer should collect the delinquent personal tax instead.

JOHN EVANS FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

The Passing of a Well-Known Resident of Bethlehem.

John Evans, aged sixty-six years, who resides in Bethlehem with his son, John Evans, Jr., was found dead in bed at his home Friday morning at 7:30 o'clock. Death was due to paralysis of the heart, and came without warning to the members of his family.

Mr. Evans retired after working the entire day and was in the best of spirits. When he was called, Friday morning, there was no response from his room and the son entered, finding his father dead. The deceased was very well known in the southern part of the county and in Delaware county, where he resided until six years ago. He is survived by two children, John Evans, Jr., and Evan Evans, two grandchildren, a sister, brother and step-brother.

The funeral was held from the house Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock Rev. Mr. Jones of Radnor, officiating Interment was made in the cemetery at Radnor.

FRIENDS DIE BUT FEW HOURS APART

The Passing of Andrew Vanderbilt at Marseilles.

The funeral of Andrew Vanderbilt, who died at his home at Marseilles, Thursday afternoon, was held from the Methodist church, at that place, Saturday at 10 o'clock, Rev. H. H. Hodge officiating. Interment was made in the York cemetery.

The deceased, who was sixty-nine years of age, was a native of Wyandot county. He was a life-long friend of John Waltley, aged eighty, whose death occurred four hours after him.

The sun-pleated skirt is one of the revivals of fashion.

PILES FISTULA AND ALL DISEASES OF THE RECTUM

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Splendid Prospects

of **Bumper Grain Crops** in **Western Canada**

Latest reports from the fields of MANITOBA, SASKATCHEWAN and ALBERTA are to the effect that Wheat, Oats, Barley and Flax give promise of an ABUNDANT YIELD. Rains have been sufficient and all grains have advanced rapidly. There are now

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Railroads are built and building in all settled portions. The opportune time for getting some of this generous producing land is now. Excursions on all lines of Canadian Railways to inspect the lands Apply for Settler's Certificate to the undersigned Canadian Government Agent:

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MOTORCYCLE USED TO GLIDE INTO MATRIMONY

Miss Wooley and Mr. C. A. Thomas Break Record.

The world is moving rapidly these days. Think of gliding into a matrimonial venture on a motorcycle.

That's what C A. Thomas and Miss Bernice Wooley, of the Arbela neighborhood, did Wednesday. They came to Marysville on a motorcycle, built for two, and, after interviewing the probate judge, and later being spliced by Rev. N. J. Kinney they started out on their machine again to journey down life's pathway together.

It is the first time, in Union county, that Dan Cupid has called to his aid the loud-sputtering motorcycle. Some progression, eh, since our grandfathers used to saddle up the old gray mare and make her carry double when they journeyed to the county seat for the purpose of getting married?

The bridegroom of Wednesday is a son of W. C. Thomas, a well-known school teacher and former county examiner—Marysville Tribune.

THE RUBINS FAMILY MEETS IN REUNION

Annual Gathering Is Held at Hepburn.

Fifty-two members of the Rubins family held their annual reunion at Hepburn, Thursday, says the Upper Sandusky Chief. The officers elected were: President, J. B. Rubins; vice president, Harry Rubins; secretary, Mrs. Jud. Heckathorn, and treasurer, Kay Rubins. Those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs R B. Rubins and family, of Madisonville; and Simeon Heckathorn, of Carthage, Mo. The oldest living member of the family, Mrs. Mary Rubins, of Marion county, who is past ninety-one years of age, was able to be present.

Next year the reunion will be held at the same place.

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME IN THIS CITY

Mrs. Lovada Deaver and Mr. Cecil Ferel.

The marriage of Mr. Cecil Ferel, of Ironton, and Mrs. Lovada Deaver, of Dundas, Vinton county, was celebrated, Friday evening, at 7.30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Homer Sanathers, of Senate street, Rev. H. Livingston officiating. Mr. Ferel is the son of Mr. Riley Ferel, of Ironton, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. John Thompson, of Perry county. Mr. Ferel is employed by the Erie Railroad company.

A large company of friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony, after which the guests were entertained at supper by Mr. and Mrs. Sanathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferel will make their home in Marion.

H. C. GEARHISER IS THE NEW PRESIDENT

Hack-Wrentz Families Elect Their Officers.

At the Hack-Wrentz reunion, which was held, Thursday, at the H. C. Gearhiser farm, a mile and a half northeast of Waldo, the following officers were elected for the coming year:

H C Gearhiser, of Waldo, president; Harry Kessler, of Cardington, vice president; H C. Howard, of Cardington, secretary, and Fred Wrentz, of Cardington, treasurer.

The afternoon was spent socially, and all of those present enjoyed a good time.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HORSES SOLD SATURDAY

Two Are Disposed of and Two Are Retained.

Two of the four fire department horses adverstised to be sold at public auction, Saturday, were disposed of by the city. Hans, the bay horse, was sold for $105, while Jack, the old patrol horse, brought $100. Both of these horses were used on the West End chemical wagon Charley and Frank, the two greys used on the chemical wagon of the No 1 department, were retained and will be kept for use in case of emergency The former horse was held at $150 while the best bid was $140. Frank was held at $250, the best bid being $210 The auction was conducted by J. Austin Reed.

Broadcloths, velvets, satin-finished silks and brocades, faille and moire are all favorites with Parisiennes

ONE BIG ATTRACTION OF NEXT YEAR'S ASSEMBLY

Will Be Ben Greet's Players in Classic Drama.

GREATEST ATTRACTION ON THE PLATFORM

Will Produce "She Stoops to Conquer" and "A Comedy of Errors." The Russian Balalaika Orchestra and Dr. H. W. Wiley Are Also Scheduled To Come.

The really big attraction of next year's Chautauqua assembly was not given to a Star reporter by President Jones and Secretary Virden, Friday, but it is such an important and agreeable piece of news that the Star ventures the announcement on its own responsibility. Of course, something might happen to prevent the coming of this costliest and biggest offering on the Chautauqua platform, but the local board has made the engagement with the Redpath bureau, and nothing will prevent the coming except an impossible routing.

The engagement is that of Ben Greet's players in two offerings of classical drama. This world-famed dramatic organization, containing sixteen players for the Chautauqua circuit, will produce Oliver Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer," and Shakespeare's "A Comedy of Errors," producing one as the afternoon attraction, the other in the evening. The offering is easily the biggest on the Chautauqua platform. Ben Greet's players are so good that they have been notable attractions at Daly's theater and Madison Square Garden in New York, and have afforded the notable entertainments at Harvard, Yale, Princeton and Columbia universities, in the East and all the big universities of the West. They cost half as much as the entire program at some Chautauquas, but the Marion board thinks the exceptional outlay will be liberally supported here, and can be offered to season ticket holders without an advance in price.

Other notable attractions, tentatively engaged and confidently expected, are the great Russian Balalaika orchestra, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the great pure food reformer, and J P. Gilbert, the nature lecturer, for morning programs, who both fascinates and informs with his illustrated talks on bird and insect and other animal life. It is possible that Mr. Gilbert will also superintend the next assembly. He is said to be the equal of Dr. Davidson in that work, and will bring a new face into the daily program.

It must be repeated that these offerings are but tentatively engaged, and the board has not authorized the announcement, but the Star ventures the publication of the pleasing information while it is news.

REV. O. A. WALDRON CLAIMED BY DEATH

Is a Former Free Baptist Minister in This City.

Friends here have received news of the death of Rev. O. A. Waldron, at his home at Ames, New York. Rev. Waldron was pastor of the Free Baptist church here from the years 1884 to 1887. He preached in the old church on east Center street, where the armory is at the present time. He organized the Baptist Christian Endeavor society, which was the first society of the kind organized here.

The deceased has been ill for several years, and died July 30. He is survived by his widow and his children. Rev. Mr. Waldron had many friends in Marion, who will be greatly grieved at the news of his death He was a man of fine Christian character and loved by all

FRANK COURT FARM SCENE OF A REUNION

Company Numbering Eighty-Four Is in Attendance.

Eighty-four people enjoyed a fine time at the Frank Court farm, southwest of the city on the Davis and Gooding pike, at the sixeenth annual reunion of the Rider family. A big dinner was served at the noon hour Saturday

The afternoon was spent socially The person at whose home the next reunion will be held will be the president and treasurer for the family for the next year. The election was held that evening.

A Great Record.

Charles Wetterauer, one of the prominent farmers of Morrow county, residing at Edison, telephoned the Star, Saturday, that he had threshed 2,800 bushels of oats from forty-one acres of Morrow county land, and wanted to know if any farmer in this county could beat the record.

ARE MARRIED AT THE HOME OF MINISTER

Miss Florence A. Reed and Mr. Fred L. Jones.

The marriage of Mr Fred L. Jones, of Galion, and Miss Florence A Reed, of Marion county, both colored, was celebrated, Friday afternoon, at the Paul Quinn Methodist parsonage on Park street, Rev. W W Grimes officiating The young couple will make their future home in Marion county

Coats of linen or tweed are now being made in three-quarter lengths, and the linens are frequently belted.

VALUE OF FARM CROPS IN THE UNITED STATES

Shows Increase of Eighty-Three Per Cent. Over 1899.

GAIN LARGELY DUE TO HIGHER PRICES

Department of Commerce and Labor Prepares Statement Showing Acreage of Farm Lands, Value of Products Per Capita and Other Valuable and Useful Information.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The total value of the crops of continental United States in 1909 was in round numbers, $5,487,000,000, as compared with $2,999,000,000 in 1899. The increase was thus $2,488,000,000, or eighty-three per cent., according to a statement issued today by E. Dana Durand, director of the bureau of the census, department of commerce and labor.

The tabulations showing these total results, were carried on in the agricultural division of the bureau of the census, under the supervision of L. G. Powers, former chief statistician, and J. L. Coulter, expert special agent. A bulletin upon which this advance statement is based, showing the details of acreage, production and value of all crops for the United States, by states, will be issued at an early date

In the case of some crops, such as maple sugar and sirup and forest products of farms, it is impossible to secure a usable figure, showing acreage; in certain other cases, such as orchard fruits, grapes, tropical fruits and nuts, the number of trees and vines bearing and not of bearinge age is secured in lieu of acreage. The value of the crops for which reports of acreage were secured, amounted in 1909 to $4,953,000,000, or nearly nine-tenths of the value of all corps. At the census of 1900 the corresponding value was $2,721,000,000, or about the same per cent. of the value of all crops. The total acreage of crops with acreage reports in 1909 was 311,293,000.

In April, 1910, the land in farms in the United States was reported by the census as 878,798,000 acres, of which 478,452,000 acres were improved. The crops with acreage reports, therefore, occupied thirty-five and four-tenths per cent. of the total land in farms and sixty-five and one-tenth per cent. of the total improved land. The same crops in 1899 occupied 283,218,000 acres, which was thirty-three and eight-tenths per cent. of all land in farms and sixty-eight and three-tenths per cent. of the improved land. While the total acreage of farms increased four and eight-tenths per cent., the average in these crops increased nine and nine-tenths per cent. between 1899 and 1909. The improved land not occupied by the crops specified, consists chiefly of land in improved pastures, land occupied by fruit and nut trees and vines, for which acreage was not reported, improved land lying fallow, and land in house yards and barnyards.

Value Per Capita

The total value of crops in 1909 was equal to $59.66 per capita of the population of the United States, while the value per capita in 1899 was $39.46, based on the population of the United States April 15, 1910, and June 1, 1900, respectively. There were 6,361,502 farms in the United States in 1910, so that the value of crops of 1909 was equal to an average of $863 per farm, while the average value of crops per farm for 1899 was $523.

The census has made no attempt to ascertain the total net value of farm products for 1909, including both that of crops and animal products Merely to add the value of these two groups of products together would involve extensive duplication, since large quantities of the crops reported are fed to the animals on the farms and reported later as live-stock products. It is impossible to ascetain accurately the amount of such duplication, and the attempt to do so, which was made at the twelfth census, was not considered satisfactory. For this reason, the relative importance of crops, as a factor in the agricultural production of the United States, can not be determined precisely.

Increase in Prices.

A large part of the extraordinary increase in the total value of farm crops between 1899 and 1909 is attributable to higher prices. This might be inferred from the fact that, while the acreage of crops with acreage reports increased only nine and nine-tenths per cent., the value of such crops increased eighty-two per cent. It also appears, by comparing the percentages of increase in the quantity of the various individual crops with the percentage of increase in the value. Thus, for all cereals taken together, the production increased only one and seven-tenths per cent, while the value increased seventy-nine and eight-tenths per cent; for hay and forage, the production increased twenty-three per cent and the value seventy and two-tenths per cent.; and for cotton, not counting cotton seed, the production increased eleven and seven-tenths per cent., and the value 117.3 per cent.

A more precise calculation of the average increase in unit values of crops has, however, been made by the Census bureau.

Individual Crops.

For the individual crops, for which both quantity produced and value were reported at both censuses the average value per unit in 1899 was computed, and this was multiplied into the quantity produced in 1909, thus showing the total value which would have been reported for each crop in 1909, if the acreage value per unit had been the same as ten years earlier. For certain crops, the values were not reported separately in 1899, and for certain other crops quantities were not reported at either census, but the analysis covers nine-tenths of the crops of the country as measured by value.

The total reported value of the crops covered by the computation in 1899 was $2,691,979,000, and the total reported value of the same crops in 1909 was $4,934,490,000, an increase of eighty-three and three-tenths per cent. Had the prices of 1899 prevailed, however, the value of these crops in 1909 would have amounted to $2,962,358,000, or an increase of only ten per cent. over 1899. The difference between $2,962,358,000 and $4,934,490,000, or $1,972,132,000, represents the amount added to the value of these crops in 1909 by reason of increase in prices over those of 1899, the average percentage of increase in prices being thus sixty-six and six-tenths.

The figure just given, ten per cent., as representing the excess of the value of the crops of 1909, on the basis of 1899 values, over the values of the same crops in 1899, is virtually a consolidated expression of the general increase in the quantity of crops produced. Covering, as it does, nine-tenths of the crops of the country, it may properly be compared with the increase of twenty-one per cent. in the population of the United States between 1900 and 1910. An earlier statement showed that the increase in the number of farms from 1900 to 1910 was ten and nine-tenths per cent. and the increase in the rural population, which includes places under 2,500, in addition to the agricultural population, was eleven and two-tenths per cent., the increase in urban population being thirty-four and eight-tenths per cent. It is only by reason of a great reduction in the exportation of agricultural products that the increasing consumption of the country has been supplied.

TWO LADS SELECTED TO ATTEND STATE FAIR

Joseph Dickerson and Lorin R. Freeman Winners.

Joseph Dickerson, of Waldo, and Lorin R. Freeman, of west of the city, aged seventeen and fifteen years, respectively, were the lucky boys chosen for the free trip to the Ohio state fair, at a meeting of the county commissioners and others designated to make the selection in the courthouse, Saturday, at 10 o'clock Joseph Dickerson was the only applicant entered in the corn contest for the Washington trip and received the unanimous vote of the qualified delegates. He is son of John Dickerson.

Master Lorin R Freeman, son of Infirmary Director C B Freeman, was chosen on the twelfth ballot. The rivalry for the honor was quite spirited. H. R. Trout, aged twenty years, son of County Commissioner A H. Trout, and Miles Hipsher, aged seventeen, son of O. L. Hipsher were chosen alternates Applicants for the free trip included Iron C Brown, of Agosta, aged seventeen years son of A. C. Brown: Edward Longacre of Caledonia, aged sixten years, son of G. E. Longacre and Wallace Rengert, of Waldo, aged seventeen years

The delegates organized by electing J. K. Leeper, chairman, and G. E. McCormick, secretary Richard Horn and George E. Dwyer were appointed tellers.

WILLIAM JOLLIFF IS HEART DISEASE VICTIM

Finding of Coroner in a Case Near Richwood.

Coroner S. J. Bown, of Richwood, has filed with the county clerk, his report of the inquest which he held over the remains of William Joliff, a prominent farmer, of Claibourne township, who died very suddenly, August 7, says the Marysville Tribune The coroner finds that his death was due to heart disease.

Deceased's wife, Mrs. Ada Joliff, whom he married August 16, 1911, was the only witness examined She testified that her husband had not been feeling well for some time, but that he seemed to be feeling better when he arose, on the day of his death. Later Mrs Joliff found him dead on the couch in a room in their home.

By order of Coroner Bown, Dr. D. J. Jenkins, of Broadway conducted a post-mortem examination of the remains. He found the contents of the stomach to be normal and expressed

BROCKETT WILLS AWAY $125,

Income of $30,000 to Widow. mainder to Five Children.

The following from the Clevel Leader will be of interest to friends of Don E. J. Brockett, this city, one of the benificia under the will of his father, Brockett.

The will of Dr. Andrew J. Bro ett, former army surgeon, who d Monday, was filed in probate co yesterday. Of an estate estima to be $125,00 the widow, who li at 5712 Hawthorne avenue, recei the income from $30.000, the mainder being divided among five surviving children.

Dr. Brockett was the grandfat of Mrs. Valentine Fries, who w before her marriage to the yo heir Fries, Miss Hazel Brock daughter of Ernest L. Brock No. 5703 Central avenue. M Fries was left nothing, nor was a thing left to the doctor's ot grandchildren.

There's plenty of happiness sight, but getting it is another pr osition.

Stripes are to have another s cessful season.

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IS CAUGHT BY DICTOGRAPH

George W. Engand, Resident of Prospect,

IN COUNTY JAIL ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Daughter of Prisoner Is Prosecuting Witness.

Girl Talks to Her Father in a Room of the Prosecutor's Office and Every Word Said Is Recorded by Instrument—Confesses His Guilt When Confronted with Record of Machine—First Use Here.

Caught by the dictagraph and later convinced by demonstration that every syllable uttered by him behind closed doors had been faithfully recorded by the tiny instrument and repeated into the ears of others secreted in another room, George W. England, of Prospect, fifty-two years old, is now a prisoner in the county jail. He is charged with wronging his own daughter, Elizabeth, sixteen years old and motherless. He has made a full confession.

The dictograph, operated by a New York detective, thought to be from the Burns agency, was installed in the office of Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice, last Saturday. England's conversation with his daughter in a back room was taken down by a local woman stenographer and heard by Juvenile Judge W. S. Spencer. The conversation was also heard in part by the Gotham detective, whose identity has aroused much curiosity among the local authorities. Prosecutor Justice declines to make known the sleuth's name, and neither will affirm nor deny that he is a Burns operative.

Confronted by Officer.

After the officers had heard enough of the conversation to convince them of England's guilt, they confronted him with all that he had said to his daughter.

The New York detective adjusted the dictograph's receiving headpiece so that England could hear others talk in the same room in which he and his daughter had held a conversation supposedly unheard by others. England was astonished almost beyond utterance for a short time. Finally, he said he was ready to tell all. "I want to tell you the truth and nothing but the truth," he said.

"Yes, that's what we want, just the truth," nodded Prosecutor Justice.

Realizing that the little dictograph had caught him like it has scores of others, England made a full confession of his unnatural conduct in the presence of Prosecutor Justice, Judge Spencer, the New York detective and the detective. His self-confessed crime was committed in July.

Ten or twelve days ago Mayor J. L. Huff, of Prospect, notified Judge Spencer that sixteen-year-old Elizabeth England had been wronged by her father. He said that the girl, believeing she was going to become a mother, had gone to Delaware and confessed her shame to an older sister, Mrs. Charles Rodman.

Investigation of Case.

After an investigation, Judge Spencer concluded that the case ought to be turned over to the prosecutor's office. He was convinced that the girl told the truth, but was uncertain as to the corroborative evidence so necessary to convict in the event of prosecution. He called the prosecutor into conference and together they worked diligently for several days.

Unable to secure one scintilla of corroborative evidence after a thorough investigation, Prosecutor Justice determined upon the dictograph as a last resort. He recalled the cases of Fuller Johnson, of Prospect, and Harry Kennedy, of Marion, both of whom were indicted for wronging their little daughters, but were not convicted. In these two cases, Prosecutor Justice lacked corroborative evidence. He had the stories of the little girls, but aside from this he had little else that would secure a jury conviction.

The prosecutor confided his intention tothe juvenile judge. The latter thought the idea a capital one.

Father Called for Talk.

Last Saturday afternoon, it was arranged to have England and his two daughters come to the prosecutor's office. Previous to that, the father had called on the prosecutor and wanted to know what his little girl had told him. The prosecutor was reticent and the father is said by the prosecutor to have gone away considerably agitated.

The dictograph's little transmitter was hung behind the prosecutor's desk in the rear of his suite. The connecting wire was run through a little crack in the door and under the linoleum of the middle room and on into the front room, where the stenographer and Judge Spencer sat with receivers to hear all that was said.

As soon as England was left with his daughter, he began to ask her why she had caused his arrest and brought disgrace upon them all.

"You know you did, papa," the dictograph recorded.

"But why did you want to have me arrested," it recorded again. "Haven't I always been good to you?"

A Whisper Recorded.

Then the father is alleged to have whispered to his daughter, "Say I am innocent."

The dictograph caught the whisper and repeated it to those in the other room.

Prosecutor Justice and the New York detective walked in on father and daughter. England was told to tell the truth and, after being shown how his conversation had been recorded and repeated, he wilted and told everything.

An affidavit was prepared by the prosecutor and England was promptly arrested and placed in jail.

Because the girl said that another man had mistreated her, the authorities suppressed England's arrest until Tuesday. The other man accused by the girl was brought into the prosecutor's office, Monday afternoon, and left alone with his alleged victim, but no damaging admissions were recorded by the dictagraph. He was not arrested.

The penalty for the crime for which England is under arrest is from one to ten years in the penitentiary.

Saturday afternoon, when arraigned in the court of Justice Charles W. Haberman, the prisoner said he did not want to enter a plea without having first seen an attorney He was returned to jail and later engaged Attorney L. E. Myers. Tuesday, Attorney Myers entered a plea of not guilty for his client and Justice Haberman fixed the time for the preliminary hearing for Wednesday afternon at 1 o'clock. England was remanded to jail without bond.

Elizabeth England is black-eyed and rather pretty. She is of good figure. Her mother died eight years ago. Her father is a laborer and of small stature.

Tuesday, Prosecutor Justice made it known that he had used the dictagraph in another case and intimated that an arrest might follow as a result.

Given a Hearing.

Following a preliminary hearing in the court of Justice Charles W. Haberman, Wednesday, George W. England, charged with wronging his sixteen-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, was held to the grand jury in the sum of $1,000. In default of bail he was remanded back to jail.

The only testimony taken at the preliminary hearing was that of the girl victim, whose story was most revolting. A number of spectators from Prospect, where the alleged crime was committed in July, were in the court-room.

"How do you fix the date at July 26?" asked Attorney L. E. Myers, representing the prisoner.

"I did not fix it," replied the girl. "That's what papa told them."

And Attorney Myers asked no more questions along that line. He brought out, however, that Mrs. Charles Rodman, the girl's sister, and the father were "on the outs."

Elizabeth England first told her story to Mrs. Rodman and Mrs. Rodman later caused her father's arrest.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REUNION IS HELD

Wood and Yeazell Families at Lincoln Park.

A BIG DINNER IS SERVED AT NOON HOUR

The Time Was Passed in Various Outdoor Diversions—An Election of Officers Was Held Wednesday Afternoon—A List of Those Who Are in Attendance.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Wood and Yeazel families was held at Lincoln park, Wednesday. A large gathering of the friends and members of the families was in attendance. Various outdoor diversions were features of the day. At the noon hour, a big dinner was served. The election of officers was held in the afternoon. The following are those in attendance:

Mrs. John Gorenflo and children, Myrtle Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood, Mrs. Ada James, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rhoads, Opal Smith, G. T. Everette, Dwight and Howard Wood, Mr. and Mrs. K. Davis and family, Mrs. Ella Kennel, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rhoads and daughters, Doris and Alice, and son, Hilbert; Mrs. Ullom, Mr. and Mrs. John TenEick, Wilbur Bornheim, Cartha Hogan and Floy Barret, of Marion; Mrs. Aubrey Wood and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Wood and daughter, of Hepburn; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Vanatta and John Wood, of Kenton; Mr. and Mrs. Ruban Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Finton Fowler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Baker Myers and family and Mrs. Emory Smith and family, of Harpster; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wood and family, of Zanesville; Mrs. Lidda Wood, of East Liberty, and Mrs. Matthew Eddie, of Williamstown, Virginia.

Positions Secured.

Miss Maude Crawley, Miss Evadel McCurdy, Miss Margaret Fowler and Miss Enid Roseberry, who recently graduated from the Marion Business college, have accepted positions. Miss Crawley and Miss Roseberry will be employed in the office of the Marion Steam Shovel company; Miss Fowler in the office of W. E. Frye and Miss McCurdy by the Jenner company.

Steel beads are now combined with white pearls for trimmings.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE COMMON PLEAS COURT

Suit of William L. Justice Is Carried Higher.

MAAG DIVORCE SUIT DISMISSED TUESDAY

Parties to the Suit Settle Their Differences and Are Now Living Together—George W. Salter Sues Emily C. and Elmer G. Mayfield and Others, This Morning.

The suit of William L. Justice, a milk dealer, who obtained a $100 judgment against the Marion County Telephone company in Justice Charles W. Haberman's court, has been appealed to the court of common pleas by the defendant. Last June, Lucas claims that a horse hitched to one of his wagons was frightened by a motorcycle ridden at fast speed by one of the telephone company's employes. The animal ran away, demolishing the wagon and destroying a large quantity of milk and milk bottles, the plaintiff claims.

The answer of William B. Thew, defendant in an action brought by Basil Ridgway and Dean C. Ridgway, partners doing business under the firm name of B. and D. C. Ridgway, has been filed in the common pleas court by Attorney John H. Clark. The defendant admits the plaintiff's purchased from him a seven-horsepower motor, electric generator, flywheel and switch-board from the defendant for $300 cash, but denies he sold the plaintiffs a generator as represented in the petition.

In his batch of morning mail, Wednesday, County Clerk Klinefelter received a certified check for $1,000 payable to his order, and the Ohio Farmers' Insurance company's answer in the suit of Annie S. Brown against the Ohio Farmers' Insurance company, Martha Mears, Eliza Brown, Adelain Brown and Fred E. Guthery.

In its answer, filed by Attorney Lee Elliott, of Leroy, Medina county, the company admits it insured the estate of Ellis Brown, March 6, 1911, against loss or damage by fire or lightning; that January 4, last, the house insured was destroyed by fire and that the insurance is now due and payable to the persons named in the policy, which was for $1,000. It avers that it offered to pay the amount to the plaintiff and the co-defendants, Martha Mears, Eliza Brown and Adelai C. Brown upon the execution of proper release, which the plaintiffs and defendants are said to have refused to do. The amount of the insurance is turned over by the insurance company to the county clerk to abide the order and judgment of the court in the matter.

In the partition suit of Bertha Priester, guardian, against Jane Priester and others, Judge William E. Scofield, Tuesday, confirmed the sale of the real estate at sheriff's sale to Mrs. Philip Ebert, and ordered the proceeds distributed.

In an action to quiet title entitled Daniel Sult and others against Benjamin Hinamon and others, L. E. Myers has been appointed guardian ad litem for the infant defendants on the motion of the plaintiff, with leave to answer instanter.

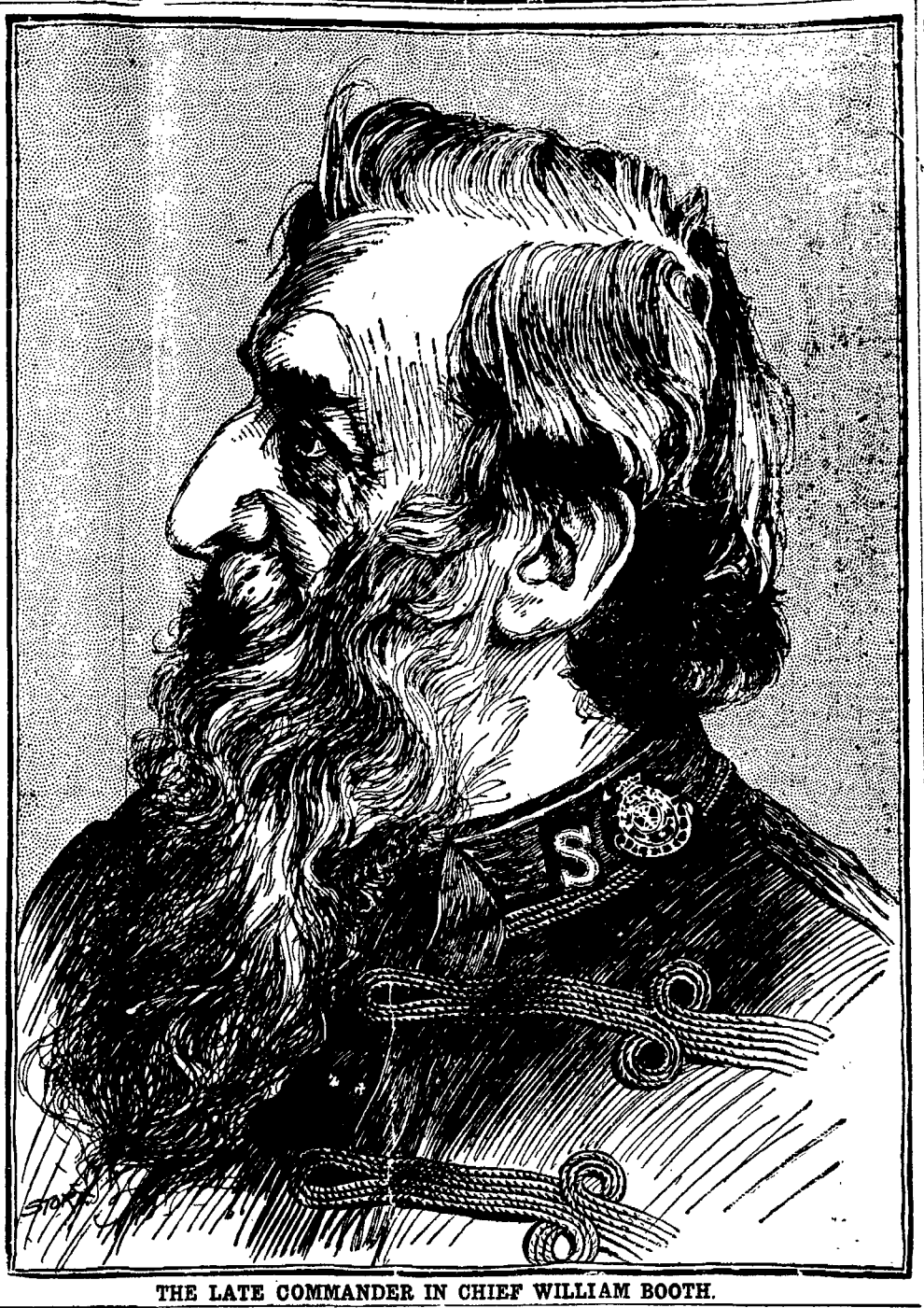
Twenty-year-old Frederick Maag, who brought suit for a divorce from Elsie Maag, July 31, last, had his action dismissed by Judge Scofield, Tuesday afternoon. He is again living with his wife, formerly Miss Elsie Stout, aged twenty-three years, with whom he eloped and married at Windsor, Canada, May 24, 1911.

A suit to recover judgment on a contract for digging a well, was brought in the court of common pleas, Wednesday, by George W. Salter against Emily C. and Elmer G. Mayfield, the Home Building, Savings & Loan company, Jessie Dell Morton and William Morton. The plaintiff prays for judgment of $23 against the Mayfields. He asks that the other defendants be required to set up their respective interest in lot No. 7258 in Jones & Wilson's first addition to Marion, as he seeks to foreclose a mechanic's lien.

James Robinson, against whom B. Kern, a collector, obtained judgment for four dollars in the court of Justice Charles W. Haberman for a stove alleged to have been bought from Mrs. Louise Wilson, has appealed his case to the court of common pleas. In order to do so, he was required to give bond for $50, which was furnished with G. W. and Caroline Jennings as sureties.

James T. Walton, who claims a one-fourth interest in the estate of the late Martin V. Walton at Caledonia, through Mouser & Moloney, filed a suit in partition in the court of common pleas, Friday. Ida V. Neal, George Neal, Vera and Andrew Zeilinska, Fred Kennedy, Warren Kennedy, Ella Kennedy, James Kennedy, Walter Kennedy and Hattie A. Walton are named as defendants.

An answer to the defendant's cross-petition, filed in the court of common pleas, Friday, in the divorce suit of Bessie M. Crawbaugh against Harvey E. Crawbaugh, through Mouser & Moloney, sets up a general denial. The plaintiff asks that the cross-petition be dismissed.



THE LATE COMMANDER IN CHIEF WILLIAM BOOTH.

THE FRANK A. ROBBINS ALL-FEATURE CIRCUS

The Press Speaks Highly of the Robbins Show.

ONE-RING CIRCUS HAS MANY ADVANTAGES

The Patrons Can See Everything in Comfort—The Robbins Show Has Some Thrilling Acts by Acrobats of High Standing—Will Be in Marion August 27.

The Frank A. Robbins All-Feature circus, which will visit Marion, August 27, has been traveling through the eastern states for the last thirty-two years. A show of this kind in order to cover the same territory year after year finds it necessary to give a bigger and better performance with each season, if it expects to be successful. The show has left behind it a string of press notices couched in the highest terms, wherever it showed. A typical example of these press notices appeared in the Camden, New Jersey, Courier, a newspaper printed in a city in which all of the biggest tent shows give performances. The Courier said, May 9, last:

"After all the one-ring circus is the place where one can have the greatest fun! You don't have to break your neck or strain your eyes to see everything that is going on with the result you don't go away with the feeling that you have missed anything.

"The thousands that attended the performance of the Frank A. Robbins feature circus, which performed here for the edification of Camdenians yesterday, left the big tent with the feeling that they had seen all the management had to offer and expressions of pleasure for the excellent show were heard on every side.

"The Robbins show, while not as large as other shows that pay annual visits to this city is a representative show and is all that word circus implies.

"One finds everything in a smaller degree; the clowns that delighted the grandfathers are at the old stand doing new business, the horses show greater cleverness than ever before, and the acrobats perform feats that send chills of dread up and down the spine.

"Hillary Long, the greatest head artist in the world, bounced up and down a flight of stairs like a rubber ball, doing all kinds of difficult feats with the strength of his neck and the hardness of his head.

"The flying Glendales performed some of the greatest feats of skill and nerve ever seen before in a circus ring, leaping from one trapeze to another, and from end to end of the tent.

"It would be hard to pick any particular feature. The company has called the show an all-feature circus and this is literally true. It is a feature circus and all acts are well worth seeing at any time. The Robbins show will always be welcome in Camden."

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FARMERS OF COUNTY HELD THEIR PICNIC

The Dayton Blow Grove Crowded with Visitors.

TWO IMPORTANT ADDRESSES HEARD

The Program Is Opened at 1 O'Clock with a Concert by Baker's Band. Prizes Were Awarded for Long and Short Stalks of Corn—Officers of the Association.

The annual picnic of the farmers of Marion county was held in the Dayton Blow grove, four and a half miles north of LaRue, Wednesday. Farmers and their families began to gather long before the noon hour, and at noon hundreds were on the ground, and all about the grove were scattered picnic parties, enjoying the usual bounteous feasts of the good things of the season, without which such a gathering would not be a success. Early that afternoon, hundreds of automobiles and other vehicles began to pour into the grove, bringing many who did not come for dinner. Fully 2,000 people enjoyed the program Wednesday afternoon.

The program was opened about 1 o'clock with a concert by Baker's band, of this city, after which the Martin quartet rendered a selection. Following aprayer by Rev. M. C. Wiseley, of LaRue, H. E. Gillespie introduced Attorney General Timothy S. Hogan, one of the principal speakers of the afternoon. Hon. A. P. Sandles, secretary of the state board of agriculture, is also present and gave an address, after which recitations and musical numbers closed an unusually good program.

Late that afternoon a cash prize of two dollars was given the farmer who brought the longest stalk of corn on which an ear had grown, and a prize of one dollar was given the farmer who brought the shortest stock of corn on which an ear of corn had grown. The judges had a fine display to choose from.

The officers of the picnic association are H. E. Gillespie, president; Roy Anderson, secretary, and Dayton Blow, treasurer.

In the French aerodome at Villacoublay a well-known aviator took up on his monoplane his little son, who thus made his debut in the air at the age of three years and a half.

THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL REUNION WEDNESDAY

The Dix Family Meets at the Home of W. W. Dix.

LARGE NUMBERS OF GUESTS IN ATTENDANCE

The Family Gives Much Time to the Observance of a Program on Which a Number Appear—Three Memorials Are Read—A Big Dinner Is Served at the Noon Hour.

The Dix family held its thirty-third annual reunion. Wednesday, at the suburban home of W. W. Dix, of Prospect. A large number of guests were present, and all enjoyed a fine time.

At 10:30 that morning, the meeting was called to order by the president, P. E. Dix, of Delaware. After the invocation, the address of welcome was delivered by Miss Helen Dix, the response being given by Hon. Scott Kenfield, of Akron.

A big dinner was then served, after which a song, "Coronation," opened the program for the afternoon. Two addresses were given, "The Dix Family in the Past," by Mrs. Louisa Fleming, of Ashley, and "The Dix Family in the Future," by Clark Dix, of Marion. Music, conducted by Mrs. Kate Ekelberry, of Delaware, was next enjoyed. Remarks on the subject, "Why We Hold Reunions and the Benefits Derived Therefrom," were given by Mrs. Maria Ekleberry, of Cardington, and Mrs. E. A. Bishop and Mrs. Lena Beverly, of Marion.

George Dix, of Delaware, gave an address "Education as a Necessity in Practical Farming," following which Dr. Ralph Dix, of Cambridge, and Edward S. Dix, of Spencerville, Indiana, delivered addresses. After these addresses, two orations were contributed by Miss Helen Lincoln, of Woodstock, and Harley R. Dix, of Washington, Michigan. John E. Dix then gave an address, "Literary work in Our Public Schools," after which Truman T. Dix and Miss Fannie Dix, of Prospect, delivered orations.

Three memorials were read. The memorial of Kittie Ekleberry by Mrs. Mariah Harris, of Delaware; of E. A. Bishop, by George L. Sherwood, of Ashley, and of Mrs. Clara Hann, by Mrs. Rena Lincoln, of Woodstock. Miss Cleo Harris then contributed a reading, and a number of recitations were given by the children. A song closed a very interesting program.

Body Reaches Marion.

The body of Sherman Baker, who died of tuberculosis of the kidneys at the home of a sister in Lincoln, Nebraska, Sunday, as stated in Monday's Star, arrived in this city for burial Wednesday. The remains were taken to the Hess & Markert undertaking establishment and the funeral services were held Thursday.

If your family is small and table scraps not numerous, the easiest way to dispose of them is to put them under the back lids of the stove to dry out. When dry, they should be raked forward on the bed of coals and burned.

SOME OF THE SNARES IN HOME RULE PROPOSAL

Danger Apparent in One Change in Constitution.

MAJOR CUNNINGHAM GIVES HIS VIEWS

Veteran Harrison County Delegate Declares Proposal Number 4 Means Bankrupted Municipalities If It Is Adopted—Some of the Things It Makes Possible.

Cadiz, O., August 21.—Hon. David Cunningham, delegate to the constitutional convention, is bitter in his denunciation of the so-called "home rule" proposal which the people are to pass upon at the special election on September 3. Major Cunningham says:

"This proposal received less general consideration in open convention than any other important proposal before the body and I believe should have received the most careful attention. It is true that we were assured by members of the committee on Municipal Corporations that they had sweat blood over its consideration; that not a syllable of any word or even a comma had been overlooked; that it was the best thing of the kind that had ever been framed by mortal man up to this time; that it embraced on this subject the garnered wisdom of a thousand years. Some of us think that it falls very far short of what is claimed for it. In the first place the amended title is misleading. The title has been changed by the committee on phraseology to "Municipal Home Rule." We think that title does not describe it at all and will have the effect to mislead and deceive the people. The title, to describe in short the object of this proposal, should be changed to something like this: "To provide an easy method for universal municipal bankruptcy," and if the people are not deceived as to the real scope of this measure it will never be adopted.

"Let us examine it for a few minutes. It provides for a deluge of these corporations. Under it more than two thousand different and distinct municipal corporations can be organized in the state.

"This looks to me to be home rule dun mad. So far as I am personally concerned, I am in favor of granting the right to any city to establish a federal or commission form of government. A proposal of 25 lines is all that is needed to provide this constitutional right.

"The proposal is a mongrel mixture of a little organic law and a great deal of pure legislation, and that legislation of the very worst and most vicious kind.

"It embodies features in total disregard of the rights of owners of private property. For example, if an owner is seized of the title to two town lots adjacent to each other, and one of them is taken on condemnation for some fancied public improvements, the price of the lot so taken can be assessed against the owner's remaining lot.

"I fully recognize the right of municipalities to condemn private property for purely public uses, but do not recognize the right to compel the owner to pay for his own land so taken, and this wonderful proposal further provides, that if a municipality, however small, think it needs an eighth of an acre for public use in some nearby farm, it has the right to condemn and take, not only the part that is needed, but the owners whole farm of five hundred acres of which the one-eighth of an acre is a part.

"What for, may be inquired? Why, to subdivide and sell out in lots for mere speculative purposes.

"This proposal gives every little village and city in the state the right to buy in or to condemn, if they cannot buy, any and all public utilities inside its limits, and issue bonds to pay for the same. For example, they can buy or build all street car lines, electric light plants, gas plants, and any other public utility that can be thought of and extend them out into the country beyond the corporate limits and operate them. We are to have no pent-up Uticas in this great state of Ohio, and if there shall be in ten years a single village or city in the state that will not be absolutely bankrupt, it will be because they cannot sell the bonds.

"If the committee, who framed up this measure, had set themselves deliberately at work to propose the worst and most vicious form of municipal government in the world they could not have succeeded better, and hence I insist that if this measure is to be submitted in its present form, that the title at least should be changed, so as not to deceive the people, but at least to give them a gentle hint as to its true character.

"When all the money in the state is invested in the bonds issued to buy or build all these public utilities, we will then have single tax without mistake. The bonds will be exempt and the utilities themselves will no longer pay any taxes. The two millions or more now paid by them into the public treasury will be no longer available, consequently there will be but little left except real estate to pay taxes on.

"We are launching our municipal bark on an unknown sea, without the rudder of common sense to guide it, and for one, I protest."

Captain Uline Ill—H. D. Uline, captain at the central fire station, who has been off duty for six weeks as a result of a carbuncle on his neck, is taking the time allowed him for his annual vacation. Captain Uline's condition is some improved, but it is still quite serious.

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ENTERTAINED AT THE MOGUL RESIDENCE

Affair in Honor of Birthday of Mrs. John Mogul.

A SMALL COMPANY NICELY ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. William Stark Entertain a Company of Relatives at Dinner, at Their Home at Waldo. Village Notes Gathered During the Past Week.

Waldo, O., Aug. 23.—[Special.]—Mr and Mrs John Mogul entertained at their home, Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Mogul's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Axthelin, Mr and Mrs. W J Haas and children, of Cardington, Mr and Mrs. George Beckel, Mr and Mrs. John Heinlech and son, Mr and Mrs. Charles Kealber and children, Miss Lena Heinlech Miss Irene Bender and Mr. Frederick Heinlech.

Mr and Mrs. Webster Gompf, of Marion, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blaud.

Mrs W. A. Sager, of La Rue, was the guest Monday and Tuesday of Mr and Mrs Joeph Blaud and other relatives

Mr and Mrs. John Mogul were Marion visitors, Monday.

Mrs Lavina Turney has returned to her home at Marengo after a visit with her daugther, Mrs. J. W. Pinder and family.

Mr and Mrs. Christopher Straub, of Buffalo, have returned home after a couple weeks' visit with Mr. Straubs's sisters, Mrs. James Schultz and Mrs. Jacob Miller, and other relatives here.

Mr and Mrs. Jacob Gearhiser and child of of Mississippi, are spending several weeks as the guests of relative in this vicinity.

Mr and Mrs. William Stark entertained the following children and their families Sunday at dinner: Mr and Mrs. John Lauer and Miss Magdaline Stark, of Prospect; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groll, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Klingle and family, Mr. and Mrs Russell Sykes, Miss Mildred Stark and Paul Stark.

Miss Imo Scofield, of Toledo, returned home Monday after a two-weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Oborn.

Rev Edwin Brown, of Delaware, was a guest Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Porterfield

Mrs Robert Dombaugh and children, of Marion, were guests of Waldo relatives Thursday and Friday

Miss Hazel Graham was the guest of Delaware friends, Sunday.

Miss Jessie Wyatt visited friends at Marion from Saturday until Monday.

Mr and Mrs. David Jobe returned, Tuesday, to their home at Peebles, after a couple of weeks' visit with Mrs. Jobe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blaud.

Mrs R O. Morris and son is spending the week with relatives at Prospect

Mr and Mrs. Milton Cope visited at Prospect, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs. D. W. Benedict, C E Morris, Miss Lulu Morris and Miss Mae Corbin visited at Ashley, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs O. S. Anthony spent Sunday at Prospect.

Miss Ruth Corbin and Miss Grace Leuellen are spending the week at Marion.

Mr and Mrs. Elmer Sclanders and family, of Radnor; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Selanders, of Prospect; Mr. and Mrs William Wheeler, of Norton, were guests, Sunday, of Miss Minnie Selanders.

Miss Lucile Benedict, who was the guest of Miss Ellen Lucile Mezger, of Marion, returned Wednesday, accompanied by Miss Mezger for a short visit

Mr and Mrs. Charles Groll and sons, Leo and Roscoe, returned home, Monday from an auto trip to Cleveland and other points on the lakes.

Miss Grace Wiser, of Cleveland, is spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs Charles Groll and other relatives and friends here.

Miss Flora Houseworth entertained the M E. Aid society at her home, Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs. R. B Hayes entertained, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Rouse and children, of Ashley, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fite, of Cardington.

Miss Lois Watson, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Vanatta, the past two months, returned to her home at Mattoon, Illinois, Thursday.

Mrs Ellen Miller visited the Rebekah lodges at LaRue and Caledonia, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, in the capacity of delegate for the thirty-ninth district.

Mrs Susan Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conklin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conklin and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. Conklin, were members of the Conklin family from here who attended the Conklin reunion at Prospect, Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. John Straub and Roger Straub, of Cincinnati, are guests of the families of Jacob Miller and James Shultz, and other relatives this week.

Friends from a distance attending the funeral of Mrs. Christopher Gables, Tuesday, were Mr. and Mrs. William Gabler, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zeig, Miss Laura Gabler, of Marion; William Terrell, of Columbus; Miss Jillian Terrell, of Prospect; Miss Bissel and Mr. and Mrs. John Gabler, of Aurora, Indiana. Miss Rubel and Mr. and Mrs. John Gabler remained the guests of Mr and Mrs. William Gabler here for a few days.

Harold Houseworth, of Bucyrus, has returned home after a two-weeks' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. Effie Barkalow, of Marion, and Mrs. Charles McCourt, of Coshocton, were guests Tuesday of Miss Flora Houseworth.

Miss Bessie Dexter, while curling her hair with a hot iron, Tuesday, let the point of the iron slip and burned the ball of the eye quite seriously.

Mrs. Charles Moyer and children, Ruth, Martha and Richard, of Loudenville, are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moyer.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bower and daughter, Isabelle, are guests of friends at Carruthers.

Miss Flora Houseworth, Miss Cecil Miller, Harold Grigsby, Wesley Miller and Russell Barkalow spent Sunday at Cardington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lyons, and son, Ansel; Peter Moyer and son, Harlos, were Ashley visitirs, Wednesday.

Miss Adda Ward was a Marion visitor, Wednesday.

Mrs. John Gompf visited at Marion, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. Jones and daughter, Miss Zelda Jones, of Denver, Colorado; Mrs. J. T. Mast, of Bucyrus, and Mrs. T. M. Bartram, of Marion, were guests Monday of Mrs. O. S. Anthony.

SERVICE OF PRAYER AT THE MEARS HOME

Gathering for the Benefit of Miss Carrie Mears.

Meeker, O., Aug. 23.—[Special.]—A service of prayer was conducted, Sunday afternoon, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Mears, northwest of Meeker, by the members of the M. E. church for the benefit of Miss Carrie Mears, who has been dangerously ill for some time. The services were conducted by A. R. James. Favorite hymns were sung and earnest and heartfelt prayers were offered for the recovery of the sick member of the household. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo James, Mrs. C. E. McElvey, Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis. Mrs. Laura Hoffman, Mrs. T. A. McCreary, Mrs. William Schertzer, Mrs. Willis Riley, Mrs. Anna Partridge, Mrs. Thomas Moon, Miss Margery Cheney, Miss Lucy Carpenter, Miss Emma Carnes, Russell Hollis and Emerson McElvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wylie are the parents of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown were visitors at Marion, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Day and Mrs. Love Waples, of Marion, were guests, Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Luvisi, of Agosta.

Willard McCreery is spending a few days in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Morral visited Magnetic Springs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schertzer attended a reunion held in Marion Saturday.

The Sunday-school of the M. E. church will hold a festival, Saturday evening, August 24, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher near town.

Mrs. Allison Tonguet and son, Donald, of Marion, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. June Sprague.

Mrs Henry Baker, of Marion, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Kennedy.

Mr and Mrs. Rance Cole and children, of Marseilles, visited their daughter, Mrs. Audrey Anthony, Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennie Hatfield spent Monday at the William Mears home.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ducat, of Marion, are spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Morral made a business trip to La Rue, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mears were business visitors in Marion Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peters, of Marion, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander.

Floyd Moon, of Mansfield, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon.

Mr. and Mrs Rollin Clements and family were guests of Ray Clements and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McElvey spent Thursday of last week at the Horace Cookston home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ford and son, Edward, of La Rue, and Miss Gladys Harrison, of Jersey, Licking county, are visiting relatives in this village.

Miss Myrtle Welsh and brother, Stanley, of Windsor, Canada, are spending a few weeks with Miss George Smith and brother, Clare, north of Meeker.

Miss Cecile Sprague spent several days this week with friends in Marion.

Mildred Day returned home, Monday, after a four-weeks visit with friends at La Rue.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet the first Thursday in September, at the home of Mrs. Artz.

Dee Schultz is the guest of friends in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhoads and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Everett autoed to Springfield last week to attend a reunion there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thomas entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. James Guthrie and son, Charles, and Mrs. Clark McDonald and daughters, Hester and Helen, of West Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ford and Misses Princess and Gladys Davis autoed to Marion, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hatfield entertained the following guests at dinner, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Willis Riley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moon, Jr., of Marion; Mrs. Sharp, Mrs. Anna Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb, of La Rue; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thomas and family.

GREEN CAMP LOCALS GATHERED DURING WEEK

People Visiting the Village and in Vicinity.

Green Camp, O., Aug. 23.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Porter and son, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Court and daughter were at Johnstown, Wednesday, attending the Dowell reunion.

Mrs. Vinton Lawrence and daughter, of Flint, Michigan, and Mrs. George Pennell of Marion, visited Mrs. Mary Free Saturday and Sunday.

E. R. Somerlot is at Dayton this week, having temporary charge of a gang of section men.

Merle Gambrill, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. E. J. Gambrill was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Finefrock at Prospect, last week.

Mrs. Anna Pearson has returned to her home in St. Louis after a protracted visit with her mother, Mrs. I. A. Boxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Kinnemon spent Thursday at Cedar Point.

Mrs. Dora Martin, of Bucyrus, is visiting friends at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Leaverton, of Detroit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs I. A. Leaverton.

A jolly company consisting of Joe, Frank and Daniel Slee and Arthur Hosser and Misses Bessie and Jennie Slee, motored through from Bloomville, and spent a pleasant day with Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Hillery, at the M. E. parsonage.

Mrs. Christian Otterbacker, of Greenwich, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Watts, was called home Tuesday by the serious illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patten, of Marion, spent a pleasant Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Uncapher.

Adam Somerlot, of Raymond, visited his parents here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. E. O. Welch and daughter, Esther, spent a few days of last week at Caledonia.

Mrs George Davis and daughters, of Lima, are visitors here.

Mrs. Frank Bogardus and children, of Marion, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Porter, this week

Mrs. Henry Finling entertained a number of little boys and girls, last Saturday, in honor of the birthday of her daughter, Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. A J. Uncapher, of Groveport, Indiana, visited John Uncapher last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patten and children, Lulu, Earl and Phillip, and Mrs. Earnest Anderson and children, Delbert, Cristina and Avanda, attended the Patten reunion at Haydenville, last Thursday.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Cook and family, of Waldo, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Earnest Anderson.

Dr J G. McNamara is building a new office and putting in a furnace in the property recently purchased from Dr. Finefrock.

WILLIAM F. HAGUE CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hague Lose Infant Son.

LaRue, O., Aug. 23—[Special].—William Frederick Hague, fifteen-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hague, died Tuesday at 11:30 a. m. of a complication of diseases. The funeral was held Thursday at 3 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. J. A. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Bailey, of Marion, were guests at the Carl Clarke home, Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Ketchum, of Kansas City, came Wednesday to give a "Tom Thumb Wedding" for the Presbyterian church Friday evening in the Presbyterian church, August 23.

Mrs. Orley Thompson and two sons, of Fostoria, are spending the week visiting relatives at LaRue.

Mrs. Daisy Sipple and son, of Lorain, are spending a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Rubins and son and daughter, from Madisonville, Kentucky, are visiting relatives north of town this week.

Virgil Mealey and Clifford Hoch, of Marion, were entertained at the John Gutbery home, Sunday..

Henry Gabriel, who is a clerk in the Washington postoffice, is spending the week as a guest of Edwin Rizor.

Ella Marie Lilley, of Anderson, Indiana, who was the house-guest of Marguerite Guthery last week, returned home Thursday.

Miss Zoo Vanarsdale and Maude Clark are spending the week at Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Stahl and daughter, May, started on a trip Sunday to be gone two weeks. They will visit friends at Angola, Indiana; Coldwater, Michigan, and Lake James. Before returning home they will visit in Chicago.

Margaret Maiberger, of Tiffin, who visited her aunt, Mrs. James Crowley, returned to Marion, Friday.

Mrs. James Crowley is spending the week with her son, Claude, and family, in Kokomo, Indiana.

Dora Head and John Head, of Marion, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. George Hickman, of Decliff.

Mrs. John Guthery and family and Miss Ella Marie Lilley motored to Richwood, Sunday, and called on friends.

Miss Edna Smith, of Wellington, is the guest of Miss Lena Topliff this week. They were roommates at Hillsdale, Michigan.

Cloris Holliday was a Marion visitor two days of this week.

BOY KEEPS VIGIL AT DOOR OF HOSPITAL

Companion He Shoots Is in Dangerous Condition.

LESTER RUDASILL VICTIM OF SHOOTING

Russell Thompson Accidentally Shoots His Friend—Wounded Lad Is Born and Reared in This City. A Son of the Late L. H. Rudasill.

Lester Rudasill, the little son of Mrs. L. H. Rudasill who resided in this city until recently, and the grandson of Mrs. Harriet M. Lister, was shot in Detroit, Monday evening, and the announcement of his death is expected by relatives here. The Detroit News contains pictures of the wounded lad and hte companion who shot him. It also presents the following pathetic story of the shooting:

With his boyish face white and drawn with the suffering from a serious bullet wound in his abdomen, Lester Rudasill, aged sixteen, 138 Artillery avenue, lies in Solvay hospital making a fight for life. Outside his room sits Russell Thompson, his friend and greatest chum, and accidentally the cause of Lester's suffering, watching with intent care every indication given by nurses and doctors for hope. At the homes of the two lads, two mothers are heart-broken over the accident and the neighbors come quietly to the door of the Rudasill home to inquire and pass the word down the street to friends. The tragedy has produced a hushed atmosphere throughout the whole neighborhood and its deadening hand will be felt for at least three days until danger from peritonitis has passed.

What has ended so seriously started in play last evening, when the two boys went from their homes to the old Crawford homestead on Waterman avenue to play. An old revolver belonging to the watchman there held its lure for the lads and a tin can served for a target. Turn after turn as taken, and finally Russell's came, and the revolver refused to work properly

Lester came to assist the investigation, when, according to Russell, the weapon exploded, the bullet grazing his fingers and passing into the abdomen of his companion. Lester was able to walk for two blocks home, and when a doctor could not be reached walked to the car, which took him to the hospital.

Lad Keeps Long Vigil.

The horror of the accident held Russell to his friend, and until the attendants at Solvay insisted on his going home to rest last night, he lingered. This morning he hurried back to take up his anxious vigil, and refuses to be comforted until he is assured that his friend is out of danger.

"I feel as sorry for poor Russell and his mother as I do for my own boy and myself," said Mrs. Rudasill. "Russell was the first chum Lester had when we moved to Detroit, two years ago, and they have been inseparable."

The boys dressed alike, played the same games, and were together so much that many took them for brothers. They went to Sunday-school together and were held by the neighbors as splendid little fellows.

Trouble has not come singly to the mother of the injured boy, but she has learned to accept her difficulties without complaint. Left a widow with five children, when the youngest was but ten months of age, she had come to look upon Lester as her real standby, as her oldest son was injured while playing at school some years ago, developed tuberculosis of the knee, and is a cripple.

Victim's Mother Mourns.

"Lester was my little man," the mother declared this morning, "and if anything should happen to him I do not know what I would do. He has been working for two years and every Saturday brought home all his wages to me, only keeping just what was necessary for his spending money. He was such a comfort to me in every way that I cannot realize it will be three days before we can be sure he is out of danger."

All last night tossed Russell sleeplessly on his mother's bed, refusing to be alone and moaning out his grief over the result of the evening's play.

"If he dies, I'll die too, mamma," he kept declaring, and no amount of reasoning on the mother's part nor any comfort she could give him could relieve his feelings.

"We have always been so well thought of in the neighborhood," Mrs. Thompson sobbed this morning, "and to think that this should come to us, even if it is an accident Russell was not to blame, and has wished over and over again that he had shot himself, for he is an only child and loved Lester like a brother."

At the hospital Thursday the attendants stated that the boy was resting quietly and unless complications set in the doctors expect that his strong constitution will pull him through.

Pomerene's Bill Passes.

Washington, Aug. 22. — Senator Pomerene's bill providing a uniform system of bills of lading, and regulating the transfer of such bills, was passed by the senate after a brief debate, without a dissenting vote.

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THE FIRSTENBERGER FAMILY ELECTION

Those Who Will Serve During the Coming Year.

A fine program was enjoyed in the afternoon at the seventh annual reunion of the Firstenberge; family at Lincoln pary, Wednesday. Recitations were given by Misses Mabel and Marie Firstenberger, and Miss Anna Marie Klingel. Rev. F. E. Zechiel, of the city, and Henry Firsteuberger of Cardington, delivered addresses. Musical selections, both vocal and instrumental were given by Miss Grace Retterer, Miss Emma Loyer, Miss Hazel Zeig and Mrs L. M. Yake. Several songs by the family closed the program.

After the program, the following officers were elected for the next year:

Jacob Firstenberger, of Green Camp, president; Viola Firstenberger, of Cardington, vice president, and Mrs. L. M. Yake, of this place, secretary and treasurer. The program committee consists of Mrs. Elias Firstenberger and Miss Norma Mautz, of Marion, and Mrs. Alice Oesterly, of near Green Camp. The next reunion of the family will be held at Lincoln park, the last Wednesday in August, 1913.

ARE MARRIED AT THE EPWORTH PARSONAGE

Miss Gertrude Green and Mr. Ralph P. Parish.

Miss Gertrude Green and Mr Ralph P. Parish were united in marriage at the Epworth M. E parsonage, by Dr C R. Havighurst, Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock. They were unattended.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, on Silver street, at which only the immediate relatives were present. An elegant wedding supper was served, the table being prettily decorated with pink and white asters.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Green, of Silver street, and is a lovable young woman. For the past six years she has been employed by the Monarch Printing & Supply company. Mr Parish is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Parish, of Nye street, and is employed as a clerk at the Erie transfer. Both he and his bride have a host of friends who will be pleased to learn of their marriage.

The young people will reside on Fahey street, in a home already prepared by the groom.

YOUNG MARION PEOPLE ARE MARRIED THURSDAY

Miss Lora Belle Campbell and Mr. Elmer Click.

Miss Lora Belle Campbell, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otho L. Campbell, of No. 325 Girard avenue and Mr. Elmer Roy Click went to Columbus at 10:05 o'clock Thursday morning, where they were, that afternoon at 2 o'clock, united in marriage by Rev R. L. King Following the wedding ceremony, the young people plan to visit Buckeye lake for ten days. They will return to this city and, September 3, leave for Santiago, California, where they will make their future home.

The bride is well known in this city. She has been employed at the Uhler & Phillips store for the past four years. The groom formerly resided in this city and has been employed as a clerk for the Pennsylvania in Columbus. He expects to enter the real estate business in California.

FAMILIES SELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Election Is Held Late Wednesday Afternoon.

All enjoyed a fine time at the thirteenth annual reunion of the Wood-Yeazell families at Lincoln park Wednesday. The following officers were elected late in the afternoon for the next year:

Dr. James Wood, of Hepburn, president; Rueben Wood, of Harpster, vice president; Frank Sloat, of Marion, treasurer, and Miss Mary Myers, of Harpster, secretary. The program committee is composed of G. T. Everett, Lewis Reading and Mrs. Elmer Rhoads, of this city. The reunion next year will be held at the home of Mrs. Ada James, of Meeker, August 13, 1913.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Mattie F. Stephens and Mr. Howard A. Moore.

Miss Mattie Faye Stephens and Mr. Howard Aston Moore were united in marriage at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs Alva Thompson, residing at the corner of Nye and Jackson streets, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. D. N. Kelly performed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

Mr. Moore is an employe of the Marion Steam Shovel company.

Mr. and Mrs Moore will make their future home in this city.

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REAL ESTATE.

The Hamilton-Brown company to William H. Deringer, lot in Marion, $175.

Alvin L. Clark to C. G. Smith, lot in Marion, $450.

C. A. Curtis to J. B. Errett, part of lot in Marion, $3,000.

Charles A. Curtis to Anthony E. Van Asbeck, lot in Marion, $3,000.

L. H. DeLauder to L. L. Boger, two lots in Marion, $3,050.

John E. Gambrill to W. T. Jones, three lots in Marion, $1,200.

Christian J. Haller to Amelia E. D. Lunger, lot in Marion, $1,600.

D. G. Houtz to W. N. Hatch, lot in Marion, $150.

Harley L. Insley to George R. Griffith, lot in Marion, $2,100.

W. T. Jones to Ella Monnett, lot in Marion, $2,200.

J. Wilbur Jacoby to Isaiah Callahan, part of to lots in Marion, $1,500.

W. T Jones to Otto C. Alspach, lot in Marion, $3,200.

Agnes C Knapp to Charles A. Curtis, part of lot in Marion, $2,100.

Samuel Lilley to Mary J. Connors, two lots in Marion, one dollar.

John F Lust to Nettie S Shackleford, two lots in Marion, $200.

John F. Lust to James E. Smith, two lots in Marion, $200.

John F. Lust to Ernest R. McFadden, two lots in Marion, $200.

Paul F. Markert to Ethel Markert, two lots in Marion, one dollar.

Ella Monnett to W. T. Jones, two lots in Marion, $850.

John C. Moore to Curtis C. McColley, lot in Marion, $1,800

F. W. Peters to Arthur B Kochenspergerer, two lots in Marion, $460.

L. and A Roseberry to W. Riddle, lot in Marion, $3,800.

George E. Swick to French Crow, part of two lots in Marion, one dollar.

E K Uhler to W. A. Marble, about twenty-two acres in Pleasant township, $3,500.

THE MARKETS.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 22.—Hogs—Receipts, 17,000, market, 5c higher; mixed and butchers, 7.80@8.70; good heavy, 8@8.55; rough heavy, 7.70@7.95; light, 8.05@8.70; pigs, 6.50@8.10; bulk, 8.20@8.55

Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; market, weak; beeves, 6.50@10.60; cows and heifers, 2.50@8.40; stockers and feeders, 4.50@7.15; Texans, 6.50@8.60; calves, 8.50@10.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market, strong; native and western, 3.50@4.65; lambs 4.50@7.30.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 22—Cattle--Receipts 25; market steady; prime steers, 9@9.50; butchers' grades, 4@8.

Calves—Receipts 25; market steady; cull to choice, 6@11.00.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 1,000; market firm; choice lambs 7.25@7.50, cull to fair 5@7; yearlings, 3@5.50; sheep, 2@5.

Hogs—Receipts 1700; market, firmer; yorkers 9@9.05; pigs, 8.50@8.60; mixed, 9@9.05; heavy 8.90@8.95; roughs, 7@7.75; stags, 6@6.50.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh Aug. 22.—Cattle—Receipts light; market, steady; choice, 9.25@9.50; prime, 8.65@9.10; good, 7.75@8.25; tidy butchers, 7@7.50; fair 5.50@6.50; common, 5@5.50; common to good fat bulls, 3.25@6.25; common to good fat cows, 3@6.25; heifers, 4@7.25; fresh cows and springers, $25@60; veal calves, 10@10.50; heavy and thin calves, 7@7.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts light; market, strong; prime wethers 4.40@5.50; good mixed, 4.25@4.75; fair mixed, 3.50@85; culls to common, 1.50@2.50; spring lambs, 4@7.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 10 doubledecks; market slow; prime heavy, 8.60@8.65; heavy mixed, 8.70@75; mediums, 8.85@90; heavy yorkers, 8.85@90; light yorkers, 8.85@90; pigs, 6.25@6.50; roughs, 7@7.50; stags, 6@6.50.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Aug. 22.—Hogs—Receipts, 1,100; market, steady; mediums, heavies and yorkers, 8.40@8.95; pigs, 8.40.

Cattle—Receipts, light; market, easy; top, 8.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 900; market, slow; top lambs, 6.75.

Calves—Receipts, 200; top, 9.75.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Little change was shown in the wheat market at the opening this morning. September sold a fraction higher, while the other months were well sustained. The movement of wheat in the Northwest is smaller than a year ago, but larger than a week ago. There was but little change in cables.

Corn was a shade better on covering by shorts and light receipts.

Oats were ⅛@¼c. lower.

The provision list was off in price as well.

Opening: Wheat--September 93⅜ to ½; December, 92¾ to ¾@⅞; May, 96⅝ to ¾.

Corn—September, 71½ to ¾; December, 54 to 54⅛; May, 53⅜

Oats—September, 32½; December, 32¾ to ⅞; May, 34⅞.

Pork—October 18.05; January, 18.95.

Lard—September 10.80; January 10.65.

Ribs—September, 10.32; January 10.07@10.10.

Shorts in wheat were on the buying side late, and there were reactions of about ⅜c. from the lowest prices reached, with net gains of ⅛@¼c. for the day.

Corn closed with September 1c. better, December ⅜c. higher and May up ¼c. Shorts were buyers right up to the close, while the longs were sellers in the way of taking profits.

Oats advanced ⅛@⅜c. with September the strong spot of the list.

BECKER DENIES HE IS GUILTY

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to the bar to answer the charge of participation in one murder in New York City. Interesting developments weer expected from the grand jury investigation.

At the district attorneys's office, it was said investigation would be made of the charge that Becker worked a "frame up" to gain ascendancy over "Big Jack" Zelig, a gang leader whose services Becker supposed he might need. Charges against Policemen White and Steinert, who are alleged to have arrested Zelig on Becker's orders, will be sifted. These two men are accused, by Zelig, of planting evidence against him, at the time Zelig was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Although his friends swear the gang leader was without a weapon at the time of his arrest, the policemen later produced a revolver, which they alleged they had taken from the prisoner. At this session of the grand jury it will also look into allegations that a high police inspector, still in the service, and a civilian, whose relations with the police department are close, benefited from the tribute which the police "system" extorted from keepers of gambling establishments and proprietors of disorderly houses.

More Wealth Discovered.

Futher success crowned the efforts of the district attorney's office in getting at the source and amount of Becker's wealth. It is now believed that, as a consequence of discovering new bank accounts, that Beckers fortune will be shown to be at least $125,000.

Assistant District Attorney William DeFord has been detailed by Mr. Whitman to investigate every possible phase of police graft in the hearings, which will be conducted by Justice Goff in a special term of the supreme court beginning September 3. One of the most sensational of the new developments in the case is a direct charge by Whitman that the police are shielding "Lefty Louie" and Harry Horowitz, alias "Gyp the Blood," the two gunfighters still at large.

William J. Flynn, head of the United States secret service in New York, is said to be arranging to resign from his position, so as to devote his energies to aiding the aldermanic committee, which is to investigate charges of grafting in the police department.

Report Is Denied.

New York, Aug. 22.—A report from Denver states that Detective William J Burns is there critically ill, and is said to be poisoned. The detective, according to this report, was stricken soon after meeting some unidentified men.

The report caused a profound shock here. Burns was supposed to be in this city. The district attorney's office had announced that Burns would be a witness today in the grand jury investigation of the Rosenthal case.

The report that Burns had been poisoned at Denver was denied at the office of the Burns detective agency at No. 21 Park Row. Superintendent Dickson, of the agency, said:

"There is nothing in the report. I had a telegram this morning from Mr. Burns. The telegram was sent from Denver."

Provisions were without much change.

Close: Wheat—September, 93⅝; December, 93; May, 96⅞.

Corn—September 72½; December 54½; May, 55⅝.

Oats—September, 32¾@½; December, 32⅞; May, 35.

Pork—September, 17.87; October, 17.95; January, 18.97.

Lard—September, 10.80; October 10.90; January, 10.60.

Ribs—September, 10.90; October 10.92; January, 10.07.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Aug. 22.—Flour quiet; spring patents 5.25@5.50; straights 4.75@5; clears, 4.65@4.90; winter patents, 5.15@5.40; straights, 4.50@4.70; clears, 4.25@4.50.

Hay, firm; good to prime, 1.15@1.40; poor to fair, 1@1.20.

Straw, quiet; long rye, 95@1.00.

Pork, steady; mess, 20@20.75; family, 20@21.25.

Lard, dull; city steam, 10¾ bid; Middle West spot, 11.10 bid.

Wool, firm; domestic fleece, 29@32; do pulled basis, 37@54; Texas scoured basis, 42@60.

Dressed poultry, firm; turkeys, 14@23; chickens 16@25; fowls, 12@20; ducks, 18@18½.

Live poultry; nominal.

Butter, firm; creamery extras, 26@½; creamery firsts, 25@.½; state dairy tubs 21 bid; process extras 24@½.

Eggs, firm; nearby white fancy, 31@32; nearby brown fancy, 26@27; extra firsts, 24@26; firsts, 21@22.

Milk, wholesale price per quart, delivered in New York, 3½c.

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 22.—Butter—Creamery, 24; extra firsts, 23½; firsts, 23; seconds, 22; dairies extra 23; firsts, 22; seconds, 21; No. 1 ladles, 21½; packing stock, 20.

Eggs—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 17½@18½; cases returned, 17@18; ordinary firsts 18; fresh 20; extra candled 24; No. 1 dirties 16; checks 14.

Live poultry—Turkeys, 10@12; chickens, fowls, 13; old roosters, 9; broilers, 17; ducks, 10@13.

LOCAL GRAIN

The Marion National mill quotes: Wheat, 1.03; corn, 72; old oats, 30; new oats, 28; rye, 60.

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Blue and white lined Combinets, 98c.

Just received large shipment China ware.

Large sized Cups and Saucers, 35c set.

Dinner Plates, 50c set.

Tumblers 2c each.

Jelly Glasses, 18c doz.

Other bargains at sensational prices.

B. J. SNOW.
113 South Main St.

SYRIAN IMMIGRANTS ARE HELD IN FRANCE

Yellow Fever Found Among Returning Foreigners.

Marseilles, France, Aug. 22.—A party of returning immigrants, bound from the United States to Syria, were brought here today from Cherbourg and placed in a lazaretto, because a case of yellow fever was found on the ship on which they crossed the Atlantic.

They will be detained in the house of isolation until all danger is past.

Injured in Collision.

As the result of a collision between street car No 511, of the local company and a large automobile on east Center street, about 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, French Crow, the owner of the machine, was badly bruised and shaken up and cut about the head. The machine was damaged.

FARMERS HEAR FINE ADDRESSES AT PICNIC

Hon. A. P. Sandles Talks of Progress in Agriculture.

SPEAKER IS HEARD WITH GREAT INTEREST

Attorney General Timothy S. Hogan Speaks of the Building of Good Roads in the State—Rev. J. W. Miles Is Last Speaker on the Program—Picnic a Success.

One of the largest crowds ever assembled at a farmer's picnic in this county, heard Attorney General Timothy S. Hogan and Hon. A. P. Sandles, secretary of the state board of agriculture, at the fifth annual picnic of the Marion County Farmers' Picnic association, held in the Dayton Blow grove, near LaRue, Wednesday. Fully 2,500 people were on the grounds The unusually large number of automobiles showed the progress the farmers of this county are making in the way of transportation.

At noon, basket picnics were enjoyed, and about 1 o'clock the meeting was called to order by A. C. Brown, of near Meeker, who presided as chairman. Baker's band, of this city, gave a concert, after which Rev. M. C. Wiseley, of LaRue, gave the opening address of welcome.

Mr. Brown then introduced Mr. Sandles, who spoke to the farmers of the need of scientific farming, and especially urged them to use more care in selecting grain for seeding purposes. He said that more interest than usual is being taken in the agricultural exhibits at the state fair this year, and that these exhibits promise to be larger this fall than ever before. His talk was principally along the lines of farming and was very interesting

Building of Roads.

Attorney General Hogan was next introduced and spoke about forty minutes. He congratulated the farmers on having a level county, with but few hills to farm. He told of the hilly farm on which he was reared in Jackson county, and compared the farming conditions in that county with the excellent opportunities the farmers of Marion county have with level land. He then spoke of the need of good roads, and what it would mean should the amendment for the $50,000,000 bond issues for good roads carry in the coming election on constitutional amendments to be held September 3 In speaking of this amendment, he said, "You have good roads in this county, and I think that the counties that have good roads should assist the hill counties in building their main roads" This was the only amendment he touched upon In closing Mr Hogan spoke of legislative graft cases in a non-partisan way

Rev. J. W. Miles, pastor of the local United Brethern church, was the last speaker on the program. He spoke on the twenty-third amendment and the liquor license amendment. He said he was in favor of woman's suffrage, but was opposed to the amending of the constitution so that it favored the licensing of saloons.

Throughout the program Baker's band rendered music and a male quartet composed of Messrs. Harvey S Martin, Jules Martin, Howard Wetmore and Ernest Carl, sang several numbers.

Prizes Awarded.

After the program, the prizes were awarded on the corn exhibit. Joseph Fisher, of west of Meeker, was given the two-dollar prize for having raised the longest stalk of corn with an ear growing on it, and Roy Oberdier, of south of LaRue, received the one-dollar prize for the shortest stalk with an ear. The judges were W. H. Holverstott, of east of Marion; W. L. Morral, of LaRue, and L. H. Thompson, of near Green Camp.

After a very pleasant day the rain came up about 5 o'clock and the crowd began to scatter, no one remaining for supper.

The new officers will not be elected until the next annual meeting, but a committee meeting will be held at the grove this evening to consider the building of an ampitheater in the grove for the protection of the people in bad weather, and for the rendering of the programs

The next picnic will be held at the same place in August, 1913.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Mildred G. Williamson, of Marion, and George C. Snashell, of West Falls, New York, and Miss Lora Belle Campbell, of Marion, and Elmer Roy Click, of Columbus.

A son was born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Freeman, of near LaRue.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Riley, of La Tourette street, Thursday afternoon.

MISS HAZEL SCHULTZ ENTERTAINS COMPANY

A Day and Evening Passed in Pleasant Manner.

NUMBER PRESENT FROM A DISTANCE

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson Are Host and Hostess to a Party of Friends—Affair Given in Honor of Miss Mildred Willis, of Upper Sandusky—Morral Notes.

Morral, O., Aug. 22—[Special].—Miss Hazel Schultz entertained the following young ladies at her home, Friday and Friday evening: Miss Lola Willis, Miss Ruby Good, Miss Grace Bardon, Miss Villa Kinley, Miss Cleo Bardon, Miss Bess Barr, Miss Mildred Willis, Miss Zoe Barnthouse, Miss Kathryn Myers, of Upper Sandusky, and Mrs. Blanche McPherson, of Marion. In the evening, the following young men were present Mr. Carl Berg, Mr George Kinley, Mr. Allen Moser, Mr. Ray Barnthouse, Mr. Fred Moser, Mr. John Harbry, of Upper Sandusky; Mr. Barney Martin, of Little Sandusky; Mr. Homer Wood and Mr. T. H. Benton, of Harpster, and Mr. Harold Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson entertained, Tuesday evening, in honor of their house-guest, Miss Mildred Willis, of Upper Sandusky. The evening was made merry with various diversions. Refreshments were served. Those enjoying the hospitality of the Wilson home were Miss Ora Niterour, Miss Orpha Hero, Miss Hazel Schultz, Miss Mildred Halsey, Miss Hattie Markey, Miss Marjorie London, Miss Myrtle Halsey, Miss Edith Wilson, Miss Mildred Willis, Mr. William Baldwin, Mr. Harold Schultz, Mr. Dwight Mahaffey, Mr. William Wilson, Mr. Dean Hinamon, Mr. Pearl Wilson, Mr. Ola Landon, Mr. Gail Shepherd, Mrs. Charles Halsey, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Laudon.

Mrs Henry Clinger returned home last week, after a visit with her son Olin Clinger near Mt. Blanchard.

Gail Shepherd, of Marion, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Laudon.

Mrs. Margaret McAlpin, Mrs. Harry Reiser and son, Miss Blanche Haner and Miss Edith Smith, of Upper Sandusky, visited at the A. Baldwin home last Wednesday.

Miss Hattie Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Claude Coey, at Richwood.

Ray Lewis, of Upper Sandusky, is visiting at the home of his brother, Carl Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ritter spent Tuesday with friends in Columbus.

David Parker, of Harpster, was a visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinamon and daughters, Donna Mae and Josephine, spent Sunday at the J. W. Willis home at Upper Sandusky.

Mrs. C. J. Schultz, Mrs. L. J. Dennis, Mrs. S. C. Baker, Miss Jen Eva Ballinger, Miss Beaulah Cottrell, Mr and Mrs. W W Morral were Marion visitors, Thursday.

W. W Miller spent Sunday at the Charles Mount home near Meeker.

Master Clare Vigor, of Columbus, and Mrs. Frank McIntyre, of near Meeker, spent Thursday at the Charles Ferguson home.

Sidney Clinger, of Marion, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clinger.

Miss Ellen Yoder returned to her home in Milford Center, last Saturday, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Fulton.

Mrs. Ora Buell, daughters, Gladys and Mildred, and son, Clifford, of Sioux Falls, Dakota, are visiting Mrs. Buell's brothers, Charlie and William Cottrell.

Mrs. W. H De Roche spent several days last week at the home of her son, Alva De Roche, north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell and family, of LaRue, spent Sunday with friends at Brush Ridge.

Mrs. Edward Osborne, of Mt. Victory, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. James Miner.

George and Gail Baker returned home, Sunday, after a six-weeks' visit with their grandparents at Forest.

Mr and Mrs Philip Hartman and daughter, Mildred, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Watts, Jr.

Mrs C H Postle, of Marion, visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. Cynthe Wentz, of Bucyrus, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. M. Brake.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam De Roche daughter, Pauline, and son, Firman, and Mrs. Ashbocher, of New Washington; Mr and Mrs. H. A. De Roche and daughter, Avonell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. De Roche.

Miss Mayme Messenger, of Big Island, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Iona Washburn.

Master Harold Nesbaum, of Bucyrus, is visiting at the Fred Brooks home.

Mrs Silas Smith has returned home after several weeks' visit with relatives at LaRue.

Miss Mildred Willis, of Upper Sandusky, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson

Mrs. Charles Cottrell and daughter, Hazel, spent Monday at the William Cottrell home near Harpster.

Mrs. J H Stiverson spent several days last week with Columbus friends.

Mrs. Harry Deubner and Mrs. C. Smith, of Cleveland, are visiting at the A. Baldwin home.

Mr and Mrs. H. E. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs O. Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. De Roche, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morral, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Foos, Mrs. J. W. Jolley, Mrs. S. M. Stouffer, Miss Mildred Washburn, Miss Iona Washburn, Harry Richards, J. H. Bardon, John Hartman, John Washburn, Earl Warner, Arthur and Perry Ingle attended the funeral of Mrs. S. E. Morral at Marion, Saturday.

Harold Thomas has returned to his home at Marion, after several weeks visit with William Pangborn.

Mrs. Mattie Pake and daughter, Lena, and Mary Alice Shoots, of Portsmouth, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor.

Mrs. P J. Alkire, Mrs. S. C. Baker and children visited relatives at Forest, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schultz and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morris near LaRue.

Miss Beaulah Cottrell is visiting at the homes of Misses Fannie Gassman and Nellie Foster, in Chicago.

Anna Curran, of Marion, was a visitor here, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McIntyre and daughter, Freda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs M. O. Bell west of here.

Miss Pauline Cannon, of Elyria, is the house-guest of Miss Iona Washburn.

Miss Fairy Smith is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. N. Baker, at LaRue.

Rev. R. W Chamberlain of Tuscola, Illinois, visited friends here several days last week, and Sunday evening preached a very interesting sermon at the F. B. church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ritter were visitors in Cincinnati last week.

James Parker has returned home, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Earl Heir, at Marion.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Jolley and little niece, Mildred Cox, spent Sunday at the Preston Jolley home near Richwood.

Charles Baker is visiting relatives at Forest.

J. T. Ballinger has returned to Plain City, after a visit with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crim were week-end visitors at Climax. Mr. Crim returned home, Sunday, while Mrs. Crim remained for a longer visit.

Miss Hazel Ledley, of LaRue, spent Saturday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Heistand and son, Ralph Waldo, have returned home after a visit with relatives at Arcadia.

Cardington Band Festival.

Next Thursday and Friday nights, August 29 and 30, the Cardington band will give a concert and festival at the park, in that city, to raise funds to aid in purchasing uniforms for the band members The poster announcing the event says there will be music and recitations, and refreshments, hot and cold.

A woman can't feed a man so much taffy that it will spoil his appetite for it.

Ladies' Home Journal Patterns Are Authoritative. Fall Models Are Ready.

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SILKS FOR FALL

The yard wide Silk Fabrics are in steady demand, and on account of the extra width, five to six yards makes a full pattern.

The Style Book for Fall is the Best Ever Issued.

EXCEPTIONAL VALUES IN BLACK DRESS SILKS.

All-Silk Messaline in a lustrous black, thirty-five inches wide, **89c.**

All-Silk Peau-de-Soie for coats and dresses, **$1.00.**

All-Silk Satin Duchess, a yard wide and better than ever, **$1.00.**

THE YARD-WIDE CASHMERE-DE-SOIES.

Strictly all silk, in every plain shade and the genteel stripes on plain grounds, 36 inches wide, **$1.00.**

Changeable Gros-de-Londres, one of the very desirable silk fabrics, **$1.50.**

YARD-WIDE WASH SILKS, IN STRIPES.

These practical silks can be laundered like a piece of muslin. They are good for ladies' waists, children's dresses and men's shirts, **36 inches, 85c.**

The Uhler-Phillips Co

Friday Sale Wool Dress Goods Remnants

For Children's School Dresses.

To rid our Dress Goods stock of all the short ends--We have taken out and placed on the counter for quick selling every length of wool dress goods from 5 yards down.

The prices will show a nice saving.

Remnants of silks in Waist lengths. What we have left in wash goods remnants will also be on sale very cheap.

Come to the Remnant Sale tomorrow.

The Uhler-Phillips Co

To See is to Know that Frank's Prices are the Lowest.

READ IT--SEE IT
Then You'll Believe It

You need but to call and see what you read about to realize that Frank's final Summer Clearance Prices offer you the greatest savings of the year. The Qualities of the lines on sale make these prices by far the best for you.

Crash and Towels

10c Crash selling for 7½c.
Heavy Linen Toweling now 10c.
Big size heavy Bath Towels 12½c.
35c Aga-spun Bath Towels 25c.
Fine Huck Towels 4 for 25c.
Extra quality Huck Towels 8c.

$1.50 Laces Collars 75c

Baby Irish and crochet patterns that look like the original and are full of $1.50 value—**choose for 75c.**

White Goods 15c

Swivel patterns in white goods in splendid 25c quality—limited quantity left to sell at **15c.**

Table Covers

Just six of those round Japanese drawn work 45-inch table covers—covers you should be glad to buy for $1.00, at a final clean up **50c.**

Knit Ties 12½c

Men's knit Ties in patterns that are popular, selling for **12½c.**

Men's Shirts 59c

Sizes 15 to 16½—qualities and patterns the best $1.00 ever bought—our **final clearance price 59c.**

School Pants 15c

Boys' school pants in a quality and pattern to guarantee service in khaki knickerbockers and wool pants that will soon be sold and never to be bought again at **15c.**

Very few boys' waists left at **21c.**

Shirts—Overalls 39c

Men's plain grey without bib—blue with white stripe made with bib—splendid workmanship and quality denim that will make you glad to buy at the price, **39c.**

Men's soft collar shirts in light and dark patterns—they fit and wear to your satisfaction—buy them for **39c.**

Emb.—Insertions 10c

An assortment that will satisfy you for the big saving they offer at **10c per yard.**

Flouncing

Do not miss seeing our 27-inch 59c flounc ings selling for **39c.**

Real dollar values in 27-inch flounceings selling at **59c.**

Look for other good specials.

Dress Lawns 7½c

Now you can buy choice light and dark patterns in figures and stripes that early in the season gave you value receivd at 15c and 12½c per yard. Choose on our first floor while **they last at 7½c.**

Voiles, Tissues and Cotten Foulards now **12½c.**

Remnant Tables

A table full of wash goods and crepes in remnants of all desirable lengths at big saving prices.

A table of embroideries and insertions that may offer just the right thing for you at prices lower than ever.

Look at our odds in ladies' bow ties, Jabots and collars.

See Hose in Prospect Window

Frank Bros. & Co.

Final Clearance Specials In All Depts.

The Daylight Store. Famous For Values.

And Now For a Whirlwind Finish to Our Great August Sales.

Every day counts now. There's hundred upon hundreds of the choicest garments yet to be sold, the Prices have again been **MARKED DOWN.**

Here's a wonderful list of veritable Business Boomers for Friday and Saturday.

50c Gingham Petticoats 19c.
39c Trimmed Ladies' Dresses 19c.
Lot $1.00 to $2.00 Children's Dresses 50c.
$1.00 to $2.00 House Dresses 89c.
$2.50 all linen Skirts 88c.
89c Ladies' Night Gowns 39c.
Rubberized Rain Coats $1.98.
Silk Flounce Petticoats 95c.
Fifty Ladies' Shirt Waists 25c each.
50c to $1.00 Shirt Kimonas 39c.
$7.50 to $12.50 White Dresses $3.95.
$10.00 to $22.50 White Dresses $4.95.
$3.98 to $7.50 Wash Dresses $1.98.
$5.00 Children's Silk Coats $1.98.

Any Child's White Dress 50% Off

Any Wool Challie Dress $4.95.

Lot Linen Suits—Short Wool Coats. Linen Skirts for Ladies 49c.

Any long linen Coats $3.98.

Lot Ladies', Misses' and Junior long wool Coats, all this season's styles, $5.00.

Long white Coats $5.00 each.

18 linen Dresses, sizes 14, 16 and 18, white, pink and light blue, newest to-date styles, $10.00 to $19.75 ones, $5.00.

Any wool Suit from the spring season, $25.00 to $35.00 ones, $9.95.

Four handsome silk Suits, $37.00 to $59.75 values, $12.95.

Elegant long silk Coats, mostly black, $25.00 to $37.50 ones, $12.95.

Come, values are irresistibly low offerings, are entirely to tempting to miss.

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A BULL MOOSE CONVENTION

Is Being Planned for Buckeye Bolters.

IT WILL BE MADE A BIG SPECTACLE

Ample To Include All Important Seceders.

Call Likely To Be Based on the Roosevelt Vote of 1904, so as To Make It a Big Convention—Sullivan, Kirtley and Eagleson Are To Be Favored with Endorsements, It Is Said.

Cleveland, Aug. 20.—Walter F. Brown, of Toledo, former Republican state chairman and national committeeman, arrived here at noon today to confer with James A. Garfield and other Progressive committeemen. A call for the state convention will be issued during the afternoon. Leaders here said the document probably would not be ready before 4 p. m.

It was reported here today that the Progressive leaders were considering incorporating in the state convention call an apportionment of the delegates on the basis of the vote cast for Roosevelt in 1904. That would mean a provision for a convention of 450 more delegates than the regular Republican convention of this year and would be the largest Ohio state convention of any party, with the exception of the Republican convention of 1905, which also was based on the vote for Roosevelt. On the usual apportionment of one delegate for each 500 votes, the convention would be attended by 1,200 delegates. The desire of the leaders was to have a big convention with the belief that the larger and more enthusiastic it is, the more impressive it will be.

The three indisputably Roosevelt men on the Republican ticket, John L. Sullivan, candidate for secretary of state; Freeman T. Eagleson, candidate for attorney general, and William Kirtley, candidate for member of the state board of public works, were scheduled for endorsement.

A call for the state convention was issued this afternoon, the convention to meet in Columbus, September 4 and 5.

MAJOR RICE AND HIS DETACHMENT SAFE

American Troops Marooned by Mexicans Are Unharmed.

Washington, Aug. 20.—Major Sedgwick Rice and his detachment of the Third cavalry, marooned for eight days in the Big Bend country in New Mexico, facing 1,500 armed Mexican rebels, are unharmed, according to dispatches from Brigadier-General Steever to the war department Monday.

General Steever reported that he had received word from Major Rice, that the rebels have disappeared to the South without injuring or attacking the American troops, and that he does not anticipate further trouble in that section.

The movements of the Mexican rebels as reported to the war department, Monday, are puzzling military officers here. Salazar is reported to be moving southward; Orozco, with 2,500 men, is headed towards the East, while a number of others making for the mountains of Sonora.

General Steever reported the arrival of three additional troops of the Third cavalry, from Fort Sam Houston, and said Juarez is quiet.

BEGS HUSBAND TO END HER SUFFERING

California Woman Pinned Under Auto, Wants To Be Shot.

Petaluma, Cal., Aug. 20.—Caught in the wreck of their overturned automobile, her back broken and suffering intense agony, Mrs. E. W. Mason begged piteously that her husband shoot her and end her suffering. Today Mason, secretary of a local oil company, is in the hands of a physician and is on the verge of a nervous breakdown.

The Masons had started on an auto tour. The machine became unmanageable and overturned. Mason extricated himself but his wife was pinned under the car.

"Shoot me, Ed," she begged. "Don't let me suffer like this. Shoot me quick and get it over."

Mason drew his revolver from his pocket, then stood looking at the woman.

"I can't," was his answer to her plea. She died some minutes after the accident.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT BADER RESIDENCE

Mrs. Rosa A. Shumaker and Mr. John H. Curtz.

Mrs. Rosa A. Shumaker, a widow, and Mr. John H. Curtz, both of Galion, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's nephew, Elmer Bader, No. 318 Mound street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. D. N. Kelly performed the ceremony in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtz will make their future home at Galion.

CONVERTED BY A STOLEN SERMON.

Philadelphia, Aug. —After reading a sermon by the Rev. Dr. Hugh McBride which she found in a suit case she had stolen, a local woman of this city has returned the stolen property and announced her conversion.

FLORENCE BALDWIN IS SEEKING A DIVORCE

Begins a Proceeding in Court of Common Pleas.

THE PLAINTIFF CLAIMS DESERTION BY HUSBAND

Parties to the Proceeding Are Married in February, 1911—Receivers of C. M. & B. Deny That Company Is Indebted to John A. Roeblings Sons' Company.

Alleging desertion, Florence Baldwin, through Eymon & Thompson, brought suit for a divorce from Lawrence Baldwin in the court of common pleas, Tuesday. The Baldwins were married at Monore, Michigan, February 20, 1911. The wife claims that her husband sent her to Marion in the following March and later wrote to her that he intended to desert her. She has never seen him since. He was last heard of in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

The suits of Horace Miller against S. A. Kraugh and others, John W. Lupton against A. David Mitchell and others, and the Waddel Ladies' Home association against Maggie K. Watkins and others have been settled out of court. Tuesday, Judge W. E. Scofield dismissed the petitions. The first suit was to recover judgment for $275.63 on a contract and was filed in the common pleas court, May 4, 1912. The second suit was to recover $37.10 judgment on a contract and was filed in common pleas court, January 28, 1912. The third suit was started in the common pleas court, June 29, 1912, and was an action in foreclosure to recover judgment for $8,808.96.

Denying that John A. Roeblings Sons' company has any valid claim against the Columbus, Marion & Bucyrus Railroad company, Receivers George Whysall and Fred E. Guthery filed an answer and cross-petition in the suit of the Troy Trust company against the C. M. & B. Tuesday, in the court of common pleas. The pleading was filed through Crissinger & Guthery.

The receivers asked that John A. Roeblings Sons' company be stopped from asserting any right, title or interest in the trolley wire, etc., furnished by it to John C. Webb and now in use by the interurban company. They further ask that it be enjoined from asserting any right and that the purported contract with the interurban company be held fradulent and void insofar as it affects the railway.

The receivers aver that the claim of about $8,000 is due, if due from anybody, from John G. Webb, former president of the road. They say that John A. Roeblings Sons' company had full knowledge at the time it sold the wire it was selling it to Webb individually. The receivers declare that the cross-petitioners knew also that Webb, as the constructing contractor of the road, received from the company $500,000 of bonds and $494,000 of the common stock for the construction and equipment.

It is also alleged that the cross-petitioners accepted Webb's individual guaranty for the wire, etc., and that the railway company is not in any way liable for the claim.

THE CHILDREN SING AT THE SANATORIUM

A Very Pleasant Afternoon for the Patients.

About twenty of the children from the Waddel Children's home visited the Sawyer sanatorium at White Oaks farm, Sunday afternoon, and entertained the patients with vocal music. The boys and girls were stationed in the large court so that each patient was able to hear and enjoy the beautiful singing. The children sang about twenty songs, after which they were treated to ice-cream. They were then shown through the institution by Mrs. C. E. Sawyer and the matron.

W. F. Hurr, superintendent of the Waddel Children's home, states that he wishes to thank Dr. and Mrs. Sawyer for their kind and courteous treatment of the children on this occasion.

The great damage wrought by hail and lightning in France each year, with losses estimated at approximately $20,000,000 to $30,000,000, will cause the experiment now under way to be followed with close attention.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland is said to be the most extravagant in dress among her peers. It is said she spends $24,000 a year on personal attire. The Queen of Italy comes next, with an expenditure of $16,000, a considerable part of which goes for lace. Empress Victoria Agusta spends $12,500 to $16,000 on her wardrobe.

The angel a man marries is apt to shed her wings a few days later.

SON OF "BIG WHITE FATHER" AND INDIAN CHIEF.

Robert Taft, eldest son of President Taft, holding a pow wow with Chief Big Top at Glacier Park, Montana, where young Taft, his sister, Helen, and their party are enjoying themselves immensely, camping in the wilds. Several entertainments were arranged for their benefit by various Indian tribes. War dancing was invariably the feature.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS SELECTS REGISTRARS

An Important Meeting Is Held Monday Evening.

ONE VOTING PLACE CHANGED BY BOARD

Contract for Printing the Ballots for Election on the Constitutional Amendments Is Let to the Harding Publishing Company—Those Who Will Serve as Registrars.

At the regular meeting of the board of elections, Monday evening, in the board's room over the Marion National bank, it was decided to change the voting place, Second A, from the Davis meat-maket to Conkle & Moon's monument shop. The registrars for the general election were appointed by the board, and the contract for printing the ballots for the election on the constitutional amendments was let to the Harding Publishing company.

For the enlightenment of those who have not been informed, all persons will have to be registered in order to vote on the constitutional amendments, while those moving from one precinct to another will have to secure certificates of transfer. This registration or change can be made at the headquarters of the board, Friday and Saturday, August 30 and 31. Owing to this being the quadrennial year, all persons will have to register before the general election on November 5. The days for this registration are October 3, 10, 18 and 19. The registrars appointed for the general election are as follows.

First—William A. Clemmons, R., David W. Haberman, D., precinct A; Clay Harvey, R., David M. Hinamon, D., precinct B; William W. Kerr, R.; Louis Phl, D., precinct C; John Byers, R., George O'Donnell, D., precinct D; Willis S. Bowers, R., Dennis Gompf, D., precinct E.

Second—Thomas R. Griffin, R., Dennis F. Ryan, D., precinct A.; B. H. Blazer, R., T. J. Mead, D., precinct B; Watson Ireland, R., Edmond J. Molloy, D., precinct C.

Third—C. B. Shetterly, R., B. F. Shurz, D., precinct A; C. Andrews, R., Fred B. Scherff, D., precinct B; J. M. Davidson, R., C. F. Kraner, D., precinct C; R. P. Buzzard, R., William Norris, D., precinct D; Anson J. Sanford R., George W. Robertson, D., precinct E; L. E. Siegfried, R., S. L. Davis, D., precinct F.

Fourth—E. J. Fairfield R., Charles A. Click, D., precinct A; Frank M. Knapp, R., Julius C. Butz, D., precinct B; E. J. Knauss, R., James C. Makeever D., precinct C.

MISS SYBLE FITCH MARRIED AT FLINT

Is Married to Mr. Hugo Austin, of Akron.

Announcement cards have been received here of the marriage of Miss Syble Fitch, of Flint, Michigan, to Mr. Hugo Austin, of Akron, which was celebrated at the home of the bride, last Saturday morning. The young people will be at home to their friends in Akron after September 1.

Mrs. Austin is quite well known in Marion, having been employed as a trimmer by Miss Warrington about four years ago. She has visited here frequently since then, and has made many friends who will be surprised and pleased to learn of her marriage.

Church Damaged by Storm.

Upper Sandusky, O., Aug. 20.—Damage to the amount of $10,000 was done to barns, crops, orchards and live stock in this county by an electrical and rainstorm. Cloudbursts visited several localites. The Church of God, west of this city, was struck by lightning and badly damaged.

THE BRADEN FAMILY REUNION SATURDAY

A Big Gathering at the Home of Harley Braden.

The fourth annual reunion of the Braden family was held at the home of Harley Braden, of Avondale street, Saturday. A big dinner was served at the noon hour, after which a social time was enjoyed. The following officers were elected for the next year: J. E. Braden, of Bucyrus, president; F. M. Braden, of Martel, vice president; Mrs. Harley Braden, of Marion, secretary, and Henry Wensel, of Prairie Depot, treasurer.

At 5 o'clock a light lunch was served to a company numbering thirty-eight. Those present from a distance were:

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Braden and daughter, Bessie, of Fremont; Mrs. Henry Wensel and her three daughters, Mamie, Flossie and Maggie, of Prairie Depot; Mrs. Charles McCormick, of Bradner; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Braden and two sons, Burton and Valley, Miss Clida Kneidler, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wirebaugh and daughter, Miss Ferne, Mrs. A. Snider, and Mrs. Sarah Keifer, of Bucyrus; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Braden and daughter, Beatrice, of Martel; Miss Nellie and Miss Viola Feigley, of Climax; W. A. Braden and son, Alfred and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bunnell and children, Paul and Mildred, of Edison; and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hurr of Marion.

The next reunion will be held the third Saturday in August, 1913. A committee was appointed to choose a place to hold the next reunion.

HENRY LAUER NAMED FOR TWO PROSPECT JOBS

Will Be Marshal and Village Street Commissioner.

Henry Lauer is now the full-fledged marshal and street commissioner of Prospect. His appointment by Mayor J. L. Huff was confirmed by the village council when it met in regular session, Monday night. He will receive a salary of $60 a month, $10 as marshal and $50 as street commissioner.

Mr. Lauer has been acting marshal since the removal of Marshal Luther Smith a week ago.

The office of street commissioner was abolished at Prospect when the new code went into effect. Before then it was elective. Since that time the work of taking care of the village streets has been under the supervision of the council, which readily accepted Mayor Huff's suggestion of again creating the office of street commissioner and combining it with that of marshal.

The new marshal and street commissioner is a Republican.

HOME IS SECURED FOR NELLIE COMSTOCK

Humane Officer Ulsh Takes Action in Case.

Thirteen-year-old Nellie Comstock was located by Attorney Louis E. Myers, Monday afternoon. The child did not know, she said, that Humane Officer J. W. Ulsh was seeking her to take her to a good home. The girl's parents are estranged, and she applied to the authorities a short time ago to find her a home, declaring she wanted to go to school and be educated.

After advertising for a home for the child, Humane Officer Ulsh received a number of inquiries from people, who said they were willing to give her a home and educate her. Then little Miss Comstock could not be found. She had left the home of Mrs. Emma Cole on Ola street, where she temporarily had been staying, and gone to the home of a family named Scott.

Tuesday, the girl was taken to her new home. Humane Officer Ulsh declined to give the name of the little unfortunate's new friends.

Only One Battleship.

Washington, Aug. 20.—By a vote of 151 to fifty in the house today adopted the conference report for $15,000,000 for one battleship. Forty-nine "no battleship" Democrats and one insurgent voted against the agreement.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY COUNTY AUDITOR

Increase in Number of Horses in Marion County.

A DECREASE NOTED IN NUMBER OF CATTLE

A Decrease of Several Thousand in the Number of Sheep—More Hogs Than in the Previous Year—The State Auditor Finds a Decrease in Livestock in the State.

According to a tabular statement prepared by County Auditor Jay Spaulding, Marion county had 8,723 hoses in 1911 as against 9,441 equines in 1912.

In 1911 the cattle in the county numbered 14,732 and 1912 showed a falling off, with 13,101.

The number of mules in 1911 was 314 and in 1912 the mules numbered 274.

Sheep-raising, for 1912 shows a decrease with 1911. The number of sheep in 1911 was 52,498 and the number in 1912 is 45,744.

The 1912 figures for hogs shows an increase over 1911, the hogs numbering 32,785 in 1911 and 34,444 in 1912.

The statistics compare very favorably with surrounding counties.

A statement received by Auditor Spaulding from State Auditor Fullington shows a decrease over the state in the number of cattle, horses, mules and sheep this year as compared to last year. Hogs throughout the state show an increase of only 14,209. Decreases in the state are: Horses, 24,944; cattle, 86,263; mules, 2,000, and sheep, 347,356.

INVESTIGATION OF INSIDE WORKINGS

Of United States Express Company Made in Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—J. Mayhew, head of the secret service of the United States Express company, is conducting a widespread investigation into the affairs of of the company in Chicago, and it is expected it will spread to other cities.

While no charges of graft have openly been made, it is asserted that irregularities have been discovered in the employment of extra help, in extra pay to employes, in the purchase of supplies and equipment, and in securing extra horses and wagons during the rush seasons.

In some cases, it is said, men handling the company's money have not been bonded. Some time-keepers punch the time clock for their men and pay them from these checks.

One case has been discovered in which an employe asserts he received $40 for his work, while the time slips show $50 was paid for this work. Some of the employes are said to work at extra jobs, while on the company's payroll for twelve hours a day.

The investigation is showing irregularity through loose methods, but probably no great loss of money. "It will probably mean a general reorganization," said a man in close touch with the affair.

Jeff Woods, a clam digger, found a pearl weighing sixty grains, the largest pearl that has been found near Pearl, Ill. It is estimated to be worth $2,500.

FUNERAL FOR A DOG TO COST A THOUSAND.

New York, August 20.—"Bloody," a Boston bulldog, which just died here, will be given a funeral costing $1,000.

LEAVES MONEY FOR MOST PERFECT GIRL.

Chanbury, France, Aug. 20.—Carret, an eccentric hermit, formerly a member of the chamber of deputies, has left a will, providing for a gift of $2,000 every year to the most perfect girl in France, morally and physically.

ELEPHANT RUNS RIOT IN CHICAGO

"Nero" Escapes from a Wild West Show.

IS RESPONSIBLE FOR LOTS OF EXCITEMENT

Until "Arrested" by Cops in a Patrol Wagon.

Angry Because His Keeper Won't Get Up at 3 a. m. To Give Him a Drink, Big African Beast Leaves—Shanties, Porches and Trees, With Police in the Latter, Are Objects of His Wrath.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—"Nero," an East African elephant, adjunct of a wild west show, ran amuck today, and for two hours had his own way in the usually quiet streets of Englewood, a suburb. He finally fled, when a clanging patrol wagon chased him, ran into a blind alley, was cowed by three of his keepers, and led back peacefully through the streets to his tent. But, in the meantime, he had made things lively.

Nero's escapades began about 3 a. m. His keepers say he was angry because they didn't get up and take him a drink of water, when he trumpeted for it. A few minutes later they heard him snap his chains and thump out into the night.

Then the excitement began. First "Nero" spied a shed, in which the city stored oil and street lamps, at Sixtieth and Justine streets. Others have agreed with "Nero" that it was unsightly. The elephant believed in "direct action." There are now a few scattered boards where the shed used to be.

A little further on are a few splinters where there was a fence. Still further on, in the rear of a Loomis street flat building, is a pile of wreckage. It used to be a porch.

Start on Elephant Hunt.

There was some noise. It aroused the valiant ones. They armed and started out for an elephant hunt in true Rooseveltion style. A stinging dose of shot, intended originally for quail, applied to the elephant's flank, so increased his bad humor that the hunters fled.

Two policemen then got into the game. They had clubs and revolvers. The elephant refused to halt, when the officers drew their guns. He had so little respect for the night sticks, that the officers took to a convenient tree. "Nero" paused under the tree. He raised his trunk threateningly. The bluecoats climbed higher into the branches.

"Nero" snorted. There was another tree nearby. He coiled his trunk around it and yanked. The tree came out roots and all. With this little demonstration of the entertainment he had planned for them, "Nero" started back toward the street where the bluecoats were huddled. He trumpeted. The officers tried to get still higher in the branches and just then, clangity-clang, came the patrol wagon.

They don't have patrol wagons in East Africa. It was a new one on "Nero." He cogitated for a minute, then he fled and was captured.

LAD IS FOUND ILL IN PATCH OF CORN

Little Son of Fremont Huntsman Drinks Bad Gin.

William, the little son of Fremont Huntsman, of north State street, was found in a corn patch critically ill as a result of drinking something from a bottle while in company with a little colored boy, giving his name of Thornton, between 4 and 5 o'clock, Monday evening. It is said that the lad was dragged into the corn patch by his colored companion when he became ill and the fact that he did not reappear with his companion led to an investigation resulting in the finding of the lad in a critical condition.

The colored lad, when asked concerning the matter, explained that there was gin in the bottle. It is thought that there may have been "knock-out drops" in the combination. The Thornton lad drank some of the liquid, but not sufficient to suffer serious results. He is about three years older than his white companion who is about eight years of age.

A carload of eggs is imported from the United States into British Columbia every day on the average to supply the demand of this province. With the development of the poultry industry the proportion of the imported American eggs will become smaller.

When cutting out garments, use the long, strong bankers' pins.

DEFENDS TAFT'S TRUST RECO

Attorney General Replies Colonel Roosevelt.

THE RECORDS ARE SHOWN AS PR

That Present Administr Is Active in Prosecutio

During the Colonel's Term Twenty-Four Cases Against factors of Great Wealth Brought, While, During Thr a Half Years of Taft's Admi tion, Thirty-Six Are Brough

Washington, Aug. 19. — At General Wickersham, in view onel Roosevelt's sharp attack Taft administration trust-busti ord, was asked if he would m statement showing what the ment of justice under Presider has accomplished along this The attorney general pointed document which had just been by the department which enun the cases instituted under the man anti-trust law since its ment in 1890. This shows th 44 cases, 25 criminal and 19 were brought during the seve one-half years of President velt's occupancy of the White as compared with 66 cases, 39 inal and 27 civil, brought duri three and one-half years of th administration.

Mr. Wickersham consented t out the significance of this en tion. He showed that in the seven and one-half years Roosevelt administration onl proceedings of importance w gun and concluded. Two of were against the so-called bee and were abortive. The oth were the Northern Securitie and proceedings against the trust. All the other big cases by the Roosevelt administratio been pushed to conclusion, or cally to an end, by the Taft istration. In addition, the T ministration has begun proc against all the other big trust country that were overlooked empted by the Roosevelt adm tion.

Attorney General Wick points out that the Standard C dissolution, which Mr. Roosev proclaims accomplished nothi based on the exact principle rata distribution established b ident Roosevelt's own attorne eral in the Northern Securitie pany. Mr. Wickersham has re ly pointed out also that the finally rendered and enforced Standard Oil case was precis decree which, with the full a of Mr. Roosevelt and his law was prayed for when Mr. Roo attorney general first broug suit.

DEPOSITORIES FOR THE FUNDS OF THE C

Morral and Caledonia Bank Share of Money.

Morral Bank Is the Only N pository Named by the Commissioners—Five Loca Are Named as Active Depo

Tuesday, Prosecuting Atto E. Justice drew for the coun missioners a notice to County urer Robert S. Dombaugh d him to place the county's m the depositories designated b following the opening of bids positories designated by the lowing the opening of bids fo posits, Monday afternoon.

The Morral Banking compa Morral will receive $15,000 county's money as a result of designated as an inactive dep on its bid of two and one-quar cent. on that amount. The Fa Savings Bank company at Ca will receive $20,000, it havin renamed as a depository for th on its bid of two and one-h per cent. The five local ban named as active depositories o bids of two per cent.

The only new depository na that at Morral.

County Treasurer Dombaug has $353,471.68 on hand for d tion among the depositories. placing $15,000 in the Morra and $20,000 in the Caledonia b will distribute the remainder a as possible between the five banks.

After the September distribu made to the county's thirty-s ing districts, the amount of in the hands of the treasurer materially decreased. The t total deposits some times dim to approximately $100,000.

The Turkish government granted the concession for th ploitation of the Mirdite fore the Bishop of the Mirdites f teen years. These are im forests of oak and other woo about 3,700 acres, which have before been worked.

Perhaps patent medicine m their almanacs with ancient jo show their skill in prolonging

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FIRES HOT SHOT INTO BULL MOOSE

La Follette Opens Batteries on the Colonel,

UNDER WHOM THE BIG TRUSTS THRIVE

An Unexpected, but Dramatic, Speech in Senate.

The Wisconsin Senator Says That Colonel Roosevelt Has Turned Backward the Progressive Wave. The Progressive Party, Under Roosevelt, Can Not Possibly Accomplish Reforms Sought.

Washington, Aug. 17.—In a picturesque spontaneous outburst during debate of the president's wool tariff veto in the senate, Senator La Follette today attacked the new Progressive party and swore new allegiance to progressive Republicanism.

The original insurgent, quivering with emotion, with clenched hands and grizzled face, poured out a flood of impassioned oratory that kept the floor and galleries of the senate rapt and silent. Standing in the well of the chamber, Senator La Follette assured his associates that he intended to "keep up the fight in the Republican part, to make that party really progressive" and to "keep on until the last bell rings and the curtain falls."

Not Fitted for Leadership.

After reviewing briefly the trust record of Colonel Roosevelt, Senator La Follette declared that the former president is "not the man to find the way out now." He asserted that "no obstacle dragged across the path of the progressive movement in the Republican party can now stop its advance."

The speaker declared that when the Republican party, through its progressives associates, had reached a point where it would "respond to the purposes for which it was born, an attempt is made at Chicago to divert it."

Senator Stone asked Mr. La Follette whether he meant the nomination of President Taft or the nomination of ex-President Roosevelt. "I am awfully surprised," began Senator La Follette, "that I left the senator from Missouri in doubt. I hope I did not leave doubt in the mind of anyone else."

Then, moving down the center aisle until his outstretched, shaking hands almost touched the stenographers tables, he continued:

Trusts Thrive Under Roosevelt.

"On the day that Theodore Roosevelt was made president of the United States there were 149 trusts and combinations in the United States. When he turned this government over to William Howard Taft there were 10,020 plants in combination. When he became president these trusts had an aggregate capitalization of $3,000,000,000 and when he left the presidency they had an aggregate capitalization of $31,000,000,000, and more than 70 per cent of it was water.

"Their power has gone on growing and spreading. There has been no diminution in the present administration. The present administration has sought to apply the Sherman anti-trust law more vigorously than its predecessor, but the time to have applied the Sherman anti-trust law effectively was in the infancy of these trusts, when there were only 149.

All Alike to Him.

"I don't believe that the man who was president for seven years, while the greatest trust growth occurred, at the very time of all times in the history of the Sherman anti-trust law it could have been made potential in deterring trust organization—I do not think that the man who was president then is the man to find the way out now."

Then, turning to Senator Stone, Senator La Follette bowed and inquired.

"Does that answer the senator from Missouri?"

"That does fairly well," responded Senator Stone, dryly, amid the laughter of the senate.

Senator Pomerene inquired if Senator La Follette would tell how many of the 10,020 trusts were "good" ones and how many of them "bad."

"I have no way to differentiate," returned Senator La Follette, "because none of the trusts is my friend. If any of them were supporting my propaganda with large contributions, I suppose I would be human enough to call them 'good trusts.' They know about the Wisconsin system and they know it is the real dope for their business.

"So I have no George W. Perkins and no Munsey supporting me. It is a lone, practically single-handed fight I have been waging for twenty-five years, and, Mr. President, I am going to keep on until the bell rings and the curtain falls."

Some men are dumb because their wives never give them a chance to talk.

Is it worth while for the trusts whom Roosevelt created to help a man who fails in business?

Isn't the man who is his own worst enemy always ready to forgive himself?

KILLING OF CALVES CAUSES HIGH BEEF.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Federal and state legislation to forbid the slaughter of calves will be asked of congress by the United Master Butchers' association. It is the slaughter of the calves, the butchers say, that is responsible for the high cost of meat. Proper legislation would, say the butchers, reduce the cost of beef ten cents a pound within year, and fifteen cents within five years.

"It is the wanton killing of calves that is responsible for the high cost of meat," said Theodore Mix, of Minneapolis. "Unless it is stopped, I foresee a time when there will be practically no beef for the market. The dairymen are most at fault. Many of them kill calves for the profit of the hides alone."

A resolution, adopted by the association, demands laws prohibiting the killing of male calves under one year and female under three years of age.

BARLOW IS OUSTED FROM THEATER LEASE

Charles E. Merkel Given Possession of Property.

W. D. CLARK IS TO TAKE OVER THEATER

May Get the House on Keith's "Small Time" and Will Split with Either Dayton or Lima—John Barlow Loses Money in Venture Here and Returns to Kenton.

Following the hearing on an action of forcible detention brought by Charles E. Merkel to oust John Barlow as lessee of the Sun theater on west Center street before Justice Charles E. Gompt, Thursday afternoon, a writ of restitution was issued. Constable Joseph Long took possession of the building and immediately turned the keys over to the owner, Mr. Merkel.

The Barlow lease will be transferred to W. D. Clark, proprietor of the Columbia photoplay theater. Papers in the transfer were signed Friday. Mr. Clark expects to manage a combination high-class vaudeville and picture theater in the building. He is now in correspondence with a representative of the Keith syndicate, which plans to open what is known to theatrical people as "small time" houses in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan. The Keith houses in the large cities are on what is known as "big time."

If the new circuit is formed Mr. Clark will "split" with either Dayton or Lima. If the new circuit is not formed, he says he will get the best talent available. He will reopen the Sun within a short time.

John Barlow, the late lessee of the little theater, has returned to Lima. He lost money in the theater business here. He was behind two months in his rent with Mr. Merkel and, failing to pay, the latter started proceedings. Barlow did not appear in court. Attorney Hoke W. Donithen represented Mr. Merkel.

ROBERT M'CUNE IS KILLED AT PORTSMOUTH

His Motorcycle Collides with an Ambulance.

Robert, the sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. McCune, of Columbus, who with his parents, is well known in this city, was accidentally killed while riding a motorcycle, which collided with an ambulance at Portsmouth, Thursday evening. The boy suffered a fracture of the skull. He was placed in the ambulance with which he collided and taken to a hospital, where he soon died. His parents are now on a tour of Europe.

The father of the lad is especially well known here. Some years ago he was active in procuring the right-of-way of this division of the Pennsylvania railway, and won many friends here and at Delaware. Later, at Columbus, he was named director of public safety.

THEW FAMILY OFFICERS ELECTED FOR NEXT YEAR

J. W. Thew, of La Rue, Is Chosen as President.

After a big dinner, Thursday, the Thew family, which had assembled at Lincoln park for their tenth annual reunion, elected officers for the next year as follows:

J. W. Thew, of LaRue, president; Aubrey Thew, of Caledonia, vice president; Earl Douce, of Marion, secretary, and John W. Thew, of this city, treasurer.

A short program was enjoyed after the business session. James Douce, of Narca, Kansas, and "Mother" Matilda Thew gave speeches, and a number of recitations and short talks were rendered by different members of the family.

Every thing on earth has its use, but it is probably just as well that we don't know about some things.

Half and whole belts are being used to a great extent on suits.

"NOT GUILTY" IS VERDICT OF JURY

Clarence Darrow Is Acquitted This Morning

OF THE CHARGE OF BRIBING JURYMEN

Judge Hutton's Charge Favors Chicago Lawyer.

Trial Growing Out of the Sensational Ending of Case of the McNamara Brothers Ends—Jury Is Out for Thirty-One Minutes. Dramatic Scene in Court-Room When Verdict Is Returned.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 17.—Clarence Darrow was today acquitted of a charge of jury bribing. After a trial that has lasted since early in May, the famous advocate of the cause of union labor, was freed from charges growing out of the sensational ending of the trial of James M. McNamara, confessed slayer of twenty-one persons.

After months spent in taking testimony and days of argument, during which Darrow played a prominent part both as witness and counsel in his own defense, the jurors today brought in a verdict of "not guilty."

In a court room packed to suffocation, while hundreds more tried to crowd in, the final scene of the great drama was staged today. Judge George H. Hutton was the principal actor. His instructions to the jury ended the final legal procedure before the case was given to the jury.

Judge Hutton, in his crisp legal manner, reading from typewritten pages that had been carefully revised, swept away the first count against Darrow, that of bribing Juror Robert N. Bain, "honest Bob," who after being sworn in the McNamar case, admitted that his wife had accepted $400 of $2,000 to vote for acquittal.

Attacks State's Testimony.

Then the judge in the precise phraseology of the law, attacked the mass of testimony that had been piled up for the state. Franklin's story, he said, could not be credited, even though it were believed, unless other testimony corroborating it, directly connected Darrow with the other count.

The second charge was attempting to influence a man drawn for jury duty. It referred to the case of George N. Lockwood, who was alleged to have been bribed just after his name had been drawn from the jury wheel, and before he had been summoned by the sheriff.

The judge went on to explain that testimony of persons, given under hope of immunity from prosecution, should not, as an academic proposition, be believed. Then the jurors filed out. Darow was not given into the custody of the sheriff. Instead, the court directed Earl Rogers, chief counsel for the defendant, to "have and take charge of the defendant."

Waiting for the Jury.

Mrs. Darrow, who had been sitting beside her husband, dropped her head on his shoulder and wept. There was a murmur in the court-room. Then for a time it was still. Darrow, his mobile face showing the wear and tear of the long months of anxiety, gazed steadily ahead of him, except when for a moment he turned to comfort his wife.

For thirty-one minutes the suspense continued. Then a bell rang. A deputy sheriff elbowed his way through the crowd at the door. The jury was ready to come in. Slowly they made their way to the jury box.

There was another pause when the shuffling of feet had died down. The clerk could not be found, and, for a few more minutes, the crowd waited and a whisper that had become a murmur carried to the waiting hunderds outside: "The jury's in."

Fredericks, calm, impassive, sat at his table. He turned to make a remark to one of his deputies. The attorneys for Darrow were more nervous. Their fight had been long and bitter.

The clerk came in. The legal formalities were droned over. The foreman got to his feet.

"Not Guilty."

"We, the jury," he read from a bit of paper in his hand, "find the defendant not guilty as charged in this indictment."

The suspense was broken. It gave way to hysteria. Seldom in a court-room in this country has there been such a scene. The crowd in the back of the room tried to rush past the enclosure, to the place where the defendant was sitting. The bailiffs fought to hold them back. Order was a thing impossible. The spectators had seen a little drama of real life. They wanted to tell the hero what they thought of him.

Darrow was profoundly moved. Tears streamed down his cheeks, but his rigid self-control did not leave him. He stepped to the jury box

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and thanked the jurors.

But before he went even to the jurors he turned to his wife. Mrs. Darrow threw her arms about her husband's neck. Her husband gently disengaged her arms, and friends led her into the judge's chambers at the rear.

By that time the advance army of those in the room, who had been waiting to congratulate Darrow, made their way through the little gate, and surrounded Darrow. They were excited and clamoring in their efforts to get to him, and tell him how jubilant they were at the outcome. The verdict was one that evidently pleased every person who had watched the case.

After the confusion had somewhat abated Darrow gave out the following statement:

Darrow Makes Statement.

"It has been a long ordeal and, of course, I have a great sense of relief at its close. None of those who knew me ever believed that I was corrupt, and their encouragement and faith has been my greatest help in this trial. The indictment and prosecution could not have happened except under the tense excitement and strain of the dramatic close of the McNamara case. I shall spend the rest of my life, as I have that which is past, in doing the best I can to serve the cause of the poor."

Judge Hutton for a time watched the demonstration. Then he left the bench, and stepping down, worked his way through the crowd that surrounded Darrow.

Grasping the latter's hand he said: "There will be millions of voices that will raise a hallulejah at this verdict."

"God bless you and good-by," was his parting word.

Jurors Seem Pleased.

The jurors themselves seemed pleased that they had been able to find in favor of the defendant.

"We came to the conclusion that some one besides Darrow furnished the money that was used by Franklin," said Foreman Williams, after the verdict had been pronounced.

Another indictment, growing out of the bribery of Robert Bain, is still pending against Darrow.

"It is quite likely," said District Attorney Fredericks, "that I shall proceed with a prosecution on the other indictment."

Fredericks said of the verdict: "I am not going to cry over spilled milk. I tried my best, that was all."

THE UNCAPHERS MEET IN REUNION THURSDAY

The Members of the Family Enjoy the Day.

The annual reunion of the Uncapher family is was held at the fairground Thursday. The gathering, which was very large, was called to order Thursday morning by the president and the minutes of the last reunion were read. The following are the officers of the family:

J. P. Uncapher, president; A. J. Uncapher, first vice president; Phillip Uncapher, second vice president; Charles E. Uncapher, secretary and treasurer, and E. N. Uncapher, Mrs. J. B. Conley and H. L. Uncapher, executive committee.

A number of talks were given by various members of the family. Various outdoor diversions were enjoyed. A big dinner was served at the noon hour and a picture of the family was taken.

Those present are R. T. Thew, Stella Mae Everett, Mabel Dell Everett, Phoebe J. Uncapher, J. T. Uncapher, Charles E Uncapher, G. E. Augenstein, Mrs. Philip Uncapher Jr., Mrs. Della Snyder, Mrs. Ivie Iler, Mrs. H. C. Shaffstall, Everett Guthery Shaffstall, H L. Uncapher, J. B. Conley, Rachel Uncapher Harry M. Iler, James B. Mount, Everett L. Uncapher, J S. Rayl, J. A. Uncapher, Silas Uncapher, T. J. Uncapher, D Uncapher, E. N. Uncapher, J. C. Ringer, Mrs. R. F. Patton, Vernon Iler, Howard Iler, Mary Elizabeth Iler, Annie L. Uncapher, George Everett, Elizabeth Uncapher, Emma L. Uncapher, Jennie Smith, Grace Augenstein, Ethel Augenstein, Mary Everett, L V. Uncapher, Dora E. Uncapher, H. Bartelle Uncapher, Margaret Uncapher, Elizabeth Uncapher and Gail Thew, of Marion; A. J. Uncapher, of Grovertown, Indiana; E. E. Everett and J. F. Fehl, of La Rue; Eva B. Keenan, of Ravenswood, West Virginia; Sarah Uncapher, Philip Uncapher Jr., and Philip Uncapher, of Marseilles; Mrs. C. W. Donald and daughters, of West Mansfield; Dr. Katherine J. Rayl and Miss Lou Rayl, Mrs. Priscilla Rayl, J. E. Rayl and daughter, of Galion; Mrs. Mary S. Uncapher, of La Rue, and Mrs. Mary Kenyon and daughter, of Marion.

ARE MARRIED AT THE EPISCOPAL RECTORY

Miss Lenora M. Smith and Mr. Leonard Kimmel.

Miss Leonora Marion Smith and Mr. Leonard Kimmel, both of Shelby, were united in marriage, Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the rectory of St. Paul's Episcopal church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Albion H. Ross. The couple was unattended. They will make their home for the present in Shelby and may move to Marion in the near future.

The bride is a nurse and quite well known in Shelby, while the groom is a carpenter.

Ribbon with a picot edge appears on some of the new hats.

FARMER PLOWS UP A PILE OF MONEY

Ogdensburg, N. Y., Aug. 17.—While plowing on his farm this morning, John McEwen, a farmer living near here, unearthed a pile of buried treasure. The coins had been buried for at least 100 years.

MARSHAL SMITH IS ALLOWED TO RESIGN

Ends His Career as a Village Official.

GUARDIAN OF PEACE TAKEN BEFORE MAYOR

Suspended for Intoxication and Disorderly Conduct—Mayor Huff Will Appoint Successor to Smith Next Monday and Council Will Act in Matter Monday Night.

August 16, it developed that Marshal Luther Smith, Democrat, had put rather a spectacular finish to his career as an official at Prosepct, Saturday night, when he is alleged to have become intoxicated and abused his wife and neighbors.

John Earick, a neighbor, swore out a warrant for the marshal's arrest, charging him with intoxication and disorderly conduct. The erring guardian of the peace was taken before Mayor J. L. Huff, Democrat, who summarily suspended him. Smith agreed to resign if Earick would withdraw the affidavit against him. Earick consented and Smith forthwith handed in his resignation.

Smith is about thirty-five years of age and heretofore has had a good reputation. For that reason an effort was made to suppress the affair.

Mayor Huff appointed Henry Lauer, Republican, forty years old, as marshal until next Monday, when he will announce the name of the new marshal. Lauer was deputy marshal. The village council is expected to confirm the mayor's appointment.

Today, Mayor Huff intimated that he would appoint a Democrat.

THE GRACELY FAMILY AT THE FAIRGROUND

Big Family Reunion Was Held Last Thursday.

The annual reunion of the Gracely family is being held at the fairground today. The attendance is very large. Various outdoor diversions are being enjoyed. A big dinner was served at the noon hour at the dining-hall. The taking of a picture of the family and the election of officers with other business is scheduled for this afternoon. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gracely, Mr. and Mrs. William Gracely, Bertha Gracely, Albert Gracely, Mrs. C. A. Albrecht and children; Philip Gracely, Samuel Gracely, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gracely and children; Mrs. Sophia Brorein and children; Clinton Gracely, Mr. and Mrs. H. Seiter, G. F. Gracely and family; Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Guenther, Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Lagemann, R. F. Hecker and family, J. F. Salter, W. H. Strawser and family, J. F. Salter, C. F. Harsh and family and William Gracely, all of Marion, and C. H. Seiters and family, of Richland township; George Gracely, Mrs. Jacob Elley and children, John J. Gracely and John Gracely, of Spencerville; Harvey Seiter and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Flocken and daughter, of Mansfield; D. C. Brorein, of Parma, Missouri, and Samuel Graessle, of Wapakoneta; William May and son, Henry, of Parkersburg, West Virginia; Lewis Gracely, Paul Gracely and Harry Gracely, of Agosta; Arthur Strawser, of Bay City, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Evilsizor, of North Baltimore; Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Gracely and son, of Mt. Pelier; Mrs. Fred Baker, of Jeanette, Pennsylvania, and Rev. David Gracely, of Newport, Kentucky.

RECEIVER AND SALE ASKED BY BINGHAM

Files an Application in Federal Court in Columbus.

A Columbus wire to the Cleveland Plain Dealer of August 16, says:

Appointment of a receiver by the federal court for the Columbus, Delaware & Marion Traction company and the sale of the company's property to satisfy creditors, was asked today in the United States district court here by Robert W. Bingham of Louisville, Kentucky.

The petition charged that the present receivership of the road in the state courts is the result of "collusion and conspiracy" by officers and stockholders and that the receivership was obtained under a fictitious claim.

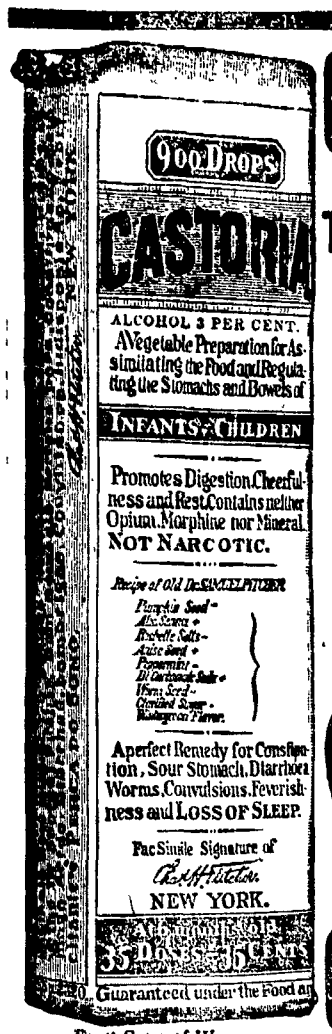
Bingham declares he is a holder of bonds of the road amounting to $32,000, and charges that the company is in default of the payment of interest.

JACOB MILLER SUES DAVID OGAN FOR $10,000

Claims Defendant Steals Wife's Affections.

Jacob Miller filed suit in the Franklin county common pleas court for $10,000 against David Ogan, former mayor of Richwood, for alienation of his wife's affections. The Millers now live in Columbus, having moved there from Marion a few months ago. Mrs. Miller is said to be only twenty-five while her husband is twice her age. They have been married about two years.

Ogan is a resident of Union county, is a decorator and is now engaged in decorating one of the Columbus churches. The suit filed by Miller is based according to the petition, on an occurrence of last Tuesday night. Ogan is said to be wealthy.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FOUND DEAD AT HER HOME IN MICHIGAN

Mrs. Theodore Penland Dies Very Suddenly.

Word was received Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. James H. Bridge, residing one-half mile north of Harpster, that her sister, Mrs Theodore Penland, was found dead, Sunday morning, at 7 o'clock, at her home, near Lake City, Michigan. She had been in failing health for some time and it is thought heart trouble was the cause.

Mrs. Penland's maiden name was Libbie Noel. She was the daughter of Nicholas Noel, of near Kirby, long since deceased. Some twenty years ago Mrs. Penland was a resident of this city. She was about fifty years of age and leaves her husband and five children. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Noel, resides at Plymouth, Indiana.—Upper Sandusky Chief.

AULT FAMILY ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Family Holds a Pleasant Affair at Caledonia.

Caledonia, O., Aug. 16.—[Special] Next year's officers for the Ault family were elected, late Thursday afternoon, at the reunion which was held at the George Ault home at Caledonia. They were Jerome Ault, of Marion, president; Henry Ault, of Cardington, vice president; Miss Eva Ault, of Caledonia, secretary; and John Hipsher, of Caledonia, treasurer. The finance committee is composed of Harry Stager, John Hipsher, Henry and Clyde Ault.

The 150 people present enjoyed a fine time with games, contests and other amusements. A short program was rendered.

MAIN FAMILY MEETS AT GREENWOOD LAKE

The Day Is Passed in Enjoyment of Outdoor Pleasures.

About 100 people were present at the annual reunion of the Main family at Greenwood Lake, Delaware, Thursday. A fine time was enjoyed with boating and other amusements. A big dinner was served, after which the following officers were elected for next year.

Mrs. Eunice Worline, of Delaware, president; Bliss Main, of Delaware, vice president, and Mrs. Julia Powers, of Delaware, secretary and treasurer. The afternoon was spent with games and contests, and a short program was enjoyed.

Those present from Marion were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Main and son, Rupert, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lennon and daughter, Elvyra. The reunion next year will be held at the same place, the third Thursday in August.

A German school is to be established in the city of Barranquilla, Colombia. The Germans living in that region have raised the funds for the land and building, and the German government will send out and maintain the teachers.

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